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OUTLINES.

At Peguea, Pa., yesterday a dynamite plant blew up, tearing eleven men to pieces, injuring five others and demolishing a dozen buildingsof the factory——Mrs. Geo. H. Atkinson, who is attending the Y. M. C. A. convention at Asheville, died of heart failure yesterday—The Senate yesterday passed a bill prohibiting National Banks and Other corporations from making contributions to campaign funds——In the Senate yesterday a claim of former Senator Marion Butler for $150,000 against the government, was alluded to by Tillman as "looks like a steal"——The North Carolina Corporation Commission has notified the Southern Railway not to put into effect a recent schedule in the operation of one of its trains out of Raleigh——The $25,000 for President Roosevelt's travelling expenses went out of the sundry civil appropriation bill yesterday on a point of order by Democratic Leader John Sharp Williams——Senator Black burn was yesterday chosen to succeed Senator Gorman as Democratic leader in the Senate——New York markets: Money on call nominal, no loans, time loans steady; spot cotton quiet, 11.20; flour dull but firm; wheat irregular, No. 2 red, 95 nominal elevator; corn firm, No. 2, 58 12 elevator; oats firm mixed, 41; turpentine steady, 60 to 60 1-2; rosin steady, strained common to good, 4.00 to 4.05.

Those kinds of meats surely ought to be cheap.

Every time anybody discovers anything, Mayor Dunne, of Chicago, wants it for municipal ownership.

It is said that President Roosevelt has recently written two more books. The surprise will be how he found time to do it.

The per capita circulation of money in the United States on June 1, according to the Treasury statement, was $32.45, the estimated population being 84,545,000.

What do the railroads and insurance companies want with the Legislature? Everybody knocks the Legislature and wouldn't ask much for their share in it.

For fear that it might be thought that Col. William J. Bryan is back home creating all this disturbance, it may as well be stated that he is in Europe reading about it in all kinds of languages.

Says the Washington Post: "The evident haste of the Democrats to go on record as favoring William J. Bryan may be due to the desire to dispel the fear that the party has been captured by President Roosevelt." Cause admitted.

Every man is entitled to his opinions but when he finds that they are not respected by others who think differently, his judgment is poor if he doesn't take his clothes and go where he will be in his element, or his own crowd, so to speak.

Forty-five years ago to-day was fought the battle of Bethel, the first general engagement of the war between the States, and which resulted in a signal victory for the Confederates, more than three-fourths of whom were North Carolinians.

Former Senator K. Jones, of Arkansas, two times chairman of the Democratic national committee and one of the closest friends of William J. Bryan, called on the President in Washington yesterday. Afterwards he declared for Bryan's nomination by the Democracy for the Presidency.

It is published that a New York woman is suing her husband for divorce because he throws money at her. "What ground could she have to get a divorce on that plea?" asks an exchange. Well it would strike the average married man that the action of her husband indicates insanity and that may be all the ground she wants.

As Prof. Bassett, of Trinity College, is going to New England, the Boston Transcript says: "Up here he will find a freer and broader field," and "like George Cable he has decided to seek at Northampton a haven, after offending his fellow citizens in his own State." We mean no harm, but we are bound to approve of New England as the proper place for a man to go when he gets warped.

JUDICIAL AFFAIRS.

Delegates From New Hanover to Attend Convention at Warsaw on June 20th.

OTHERS APPOINTED LATER

Chairman Boney Held Conference With Advisory Board Yesterday—Legal Profession Fgures Largely In the List as Announced.

Chairman G. J. Boney of the recent Democratic County Convention, in conference with members of his advisory committee previously announced, yesterday appointed the delegates and alternates from New Hanover county to the Democratic Judicial Convention of the Fifth District to be held at Warsaw on June 20th. The county is entitled to 26 votes in the convention and that number of delegates and an equal number of alternates are named. The list comes largely from the ranks of the legal professions but as there will likely be no contest for any of the nominations few of them will probably attend. The convention is for the purpose of nominating a Judge of the Superior Court and a solicitor. For these offices Judge Oliver H. Allen and Solicitor Rodolph Duffy, the present incumbents, have no opposition. The delegates and alternates from New Hanover as officially announced by Chairman Boney are as follows:

Delegates—B. G. Empie, Cameron F. MacRae, S. M. Empie, R. G. Grady, L. V. Grady, J. O Carr, George Rountree, A M. Waddell, A. J. Marshall W. B McKoy, J. H. Scull, J. F. Sellars, Junius Davis, Woodus Kellum, E. K. Bryan, H. McClammy, William J. Bellamy M. Bellamy, Jr., Jno. D. Bellamy, Jr., E. S. Martin, Iredell Meares, Robert Ruark, Graham Kenan, Robert W. Herring, C. D. Weeks, W. P. Gafford.

Alternates—C. C. Rice, James W. Price, O. M. Fillyaw, T. E. Lupo, J. C. Stevenson, Jno. S. Armstrong, C. W. Yates, Jno. D. Bellamy, Thos. W. Davis, M. Bellamy, J. C. MacRae, Jr., W. M. Bellamy, William Calder, J. A. Walker, J. F. Littleton, J. G. Brown, D. J. Fergus, R. P. McClammy, Benj. Bell, Jr., W. H. Bernard, W. B. Canady, George H. Howell, T. E. Brown, George Harriss, R. R. Stone, Roger Moore

Mr. Boney stated in furnishing the list of judicial delegates yesterday that he had hoped to complete two of the lists at that time, but that he had only a small attendance of the advisory committee and it was thought best to defer the matter. Those yet to be appointed are the State, Congressional and State Senatorial delegates.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Stieff's—Piano Propositions.
City of Wilmington—For Sale.
Atlantic Nat'l Bank—Do three things
C. W. Polvogt Co.—Surpassing Offers.
F. E. Hashagen Co.—Tidal Wave Flour.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Dress Goods Bargains.
W. Munroe & Co.—Prepare for Your Bride.
D. McEachern, chairman — Bids Wanted.
People's Savings Bank—Safe Deposit Boxes.
Wrightsville Beach—Financial Report.
F. E. Hashagen Co.—White Knight Cigars.
J. H. Rehder & Co.—Low Price Mattings.
Consolidated Co.—Electric Fans, Gas Ranges.
McDonald Roof Paint Co.—Roof Painting.
Vade-Mecum Spring—Pleasure and Health.
T. E. Wallace, chairman—Republican Convention.
B. F. Penn & Co.—Wanted 5,000 Customers.
B. H. Stephens—Carpenter and Millwright Wanted.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Agents.
W. A. Dick—Lot for Sale.
For Rent—Furnished Rooms.
Carolina Beach—Skating Rink.
W. J. Moore—Hotel Tarrymoore.
Ladies' Aid Society—Excursion.
C. P. B. Mahler—House for Rent.
J. F. Littleton—Clarendon Lodge,
J. G. Wright & Son—Rooms for Rent
K. of P.
J. G. Wright & Son.—Cottage for Sale.
California Cider Co. — Salesmen Wanted.
J. G. Wright & Son.—Beach Cottage for Rent.

Lumina.

Avoid the heat of the city by spending the day at Lumina. Cars every half hour. ** **

Proposals are invited for repairs and alterations on the Star Building. Details furnished on application at the Star office. 3t**

FREIGHT WRECKS ON A. C. L.

Two Occurred on W., C. & A. Division Yesterday Morning—Trains for Wilmington Detoured via S. A. L.

Traffic on the W. C. & A. division of the Atlantic Coast Line was blocked nearly all day yesterday on account of two rather ugly freight wrecks yesterday morning on the line. All trains were detoured over the Seaboard, via Cronly. At Mullins, S. C., the engine and one car of a southbound freight were ditched and at Malmo, Brunswick county, 12 miles from Wilmington, an extra freight of engine and nine empty freight cars were ditched because of a split switch. The negro firemen on the engine was slightly hurt about the leg but his injuries are not serious.

The wreck at Malmo occurred about 7 o'clock and the empty freight cars were piled up on the track for some distance rendering the clearing of the line exceedingly difficult. A wrecking train was sent out from Wilmington and orders were given that the Columbia train inward and outward bound be routed via Cronly, taking the Seaboard tracks at Navassa. The wreck was cleared up and the line was open again in time for the Charleston train to come in last night.

The wreck at Mullins was of slight consequence and so far as could be learned no one was seriously hurt. Traffic was not delayed by that accident as it seems the engine and one car were pulled off to the side of the track.

TO SELL COUNTY PROPERTY.

Commissioners to Entertain Interest-in Proposition Monday.

The Board of County Commissioners will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock to entertain a proposition for the purchase of the 16-foot alleyway between the old Court House and the Odd Fellows' building, on Princess street. The Commissioners have received an offer of $2,400 for the property which is equivalent to $150 per front foot and the question Monday will be whether to accept the offer and perfect the sale. The lot is wanted by a gentleman for the erection thereon of a handsome two-story business building. It has a depth of 66 feet and abuts directly on the Odd Fellows' building. To show how rapidly property has appreciated in value, about four years ago the Commissioners were about to accept less than twice that amount for the entire lot and old Court House building, the frontage of the entire property being 110 feet. Chairman McEachern at the time appreciated the growth of the town and personally agreed to take the property off the hands of the county at any time if his two colleagues on the Board would not vote to sell. Now for the 16-foot alleway, the Commissioners are offered more than half what was offered originally for the entire property.

CROWDS TO THE BEACH.

Lumina Attracting Hundreds —Arrangement for Vaudeville.

Travel on the suburban car line yesterday was the heaviest of the year. Double-headers were operated every half hour after 1 P. M. and every car was crowded with passengers. Lumina continues to attract the crowds and the season there has opened up much better than ever before. An order has just been placed for 200 additional chairs for the verandas and it may be that another order will have to be placed before the season is over. All the attractions there are now in full blast.

Col. A. J. Hamilton, who will put on a season of vaudeville at the beach this Summer, arrived yesterday with Mr. Johnson, the local manager of the house. He will put everything in readiness for the opening to-morrow night week. New scenery has been ordered and it is proposed to make the Casino one of the most popular places on the beach. It will be painted inside prettily and a large number of electric lights will be installed by the Consolidated Company.

SOUTHERN STOCK COMPANY.

Belasco's "The Paradise Lost" Will Be Seen To-morrow Evening.

The Southern Stock Company opens its popular price engagement to-morrow night at the Academy. The engagement will be for a week and during that time a repertoire of modern successes will be presented.

To-morrow night, as the opening bill David Belasco's well known play, "The Lost Paradise," will be presented and to this performance the usual courtesy will be extended the ladies. In every city in this State where the company has played this season, nothing but the highest praise has been given and the engagement here is being looked forward to with much pleasure.

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THE CITY SCHOOLS

District Committees Met in Yearly Session Yesterday for Important Business.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

Nearly All Teachers Are Re-Elected Though Several Vacancies Remain to Be Filled—Resignation of Mrs. M. L. McLeod Accepted.

City School Commitees of Districts Nos. 1 and 2 met yesterday afternoon in annual session at the office of Mr. James H. Chadbourn, in the Southern Building, the first meeting being of the two committees jointly for the purpose of transacting business in connection with the High School, which is under the jurisdiction of both, and a second meeting being of the committees as individual bodies. At the joint meeting of the committees Dr. G. G. Thomas presided and Mr. Samuel Bear, Jr., kept a record of the proceedings as secretary. Other committeemen present were Mr. Chadbourn, Mr. J. C. Stevenson, Mr. John D. Bellamy, Jr., and Mr. J. A. Taylor.

At the joint meeting Mr John J. Blair, the superintendent of the schools, tendered his annual report for the year just closed and it was received with much enthusiasm, the clerk being directed to furnish a copy of the same for publication in the daily press of the city. The report is given as an appendix to these proceedings.

The re-election of Mr. Blair was unanimous as was also the confirmation of the election of Mr. Huff, as principal of the High School, mention of which has previously been made. Miss Fredericka Jenkins was elected as an additional teacher at the High School and all other members of the faculty of that institution were re-elected except Miss McCue, who was not an applicant. In her place Miss Isabel Gully was elected.

After the joint meeting, District No. 2 met, Mr. Steveson presiding and Mr. Bellamy acting as secretary. All the teachers in Union School were re-elected except Miss Hannah, who was not an applicant. The position will be filled later when the substitute teachers will also be elected. In the Williston School, colored, Prof. J. A. Holt was re-elected principal and all the teachers who were applicants were re-elected. There was only one vacancy and Miriam Nash was elected to fill that position.

District No. 1 met with Dr. Thomas presiding, and Mr. Bear acting as sectar. The resignation of Mrs. M. L. McLeod, as principal of Hemenway School, which was tendered some time ago, was accepted with regret and the election of her successor was postponed. All the teachers who were applicants in the Hemenway faculty were re-elected. Two were not applicants and those positions will be filled later.

Report of Superintendent.

The report of Superintendent Blair is a very comprehensive review of the year's work and embodies many valuable observations upon the schools in general. Its full text is as follows:

To Members of School Committees of Districts Nos. 1 and 2, Wilmington, N. C.

Gentlemen:—I have the honor of submitting my fifth annual report of the condition and progress of the schools under your charge, the same being the 20th of the series of reports since the inauguration of the present system in this city.

During this period of twenty years changes have taken place which have affected every condition and phase of our city's life and character.

In January of this year the estimated population based on records prepared by the Postoffice Department was 30,000 with a school population of 5,934. Those who have given the matter some thought claim that 1910 will show a population of 40,000 with a probable school census of more than 8,000. A statement of the enrollment and attendance for the past year is as follows:

Statistical Summary.

Union School—Boys, 468; Girls, 561; total enrollment, 1,029; average daily attendance, 760.

Hemenway—Boys, 365; ;Girls, 421 total enrollment, 786; average daily attendance, 603.

High School—Boys, 60; Girls, 158; total enrollment, 218; average daily attendance, 168.

Total—Boys, 893; Girls, 1,140; total enrollment, 2,033; average daily attendance, 1,521.

Williston—Boys, 283; Girls, 331; total enrollment, 614; average daily attendance, 358.1.

Peabody—Boys, 270; Girls, 315; total enrollment, 585; average daily attendance, 359.7.

Total—Colored Schools, Boys, 553; Girls, 646; total enrollment, 1,199;

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SEASHORE HOTEL'S OPENING

Brilliant Dance Last Night Formally Inaugurates Season at Popular Wrightsvile Beach Hostelry.

The formal opening of the Seashore Hotel last night attracted an unusually large crowd to the beach, especially young people who were delighted with the pleasures of the occasion. The dance was a very delightful affair and more than a hundred couples were on the floor until the last car left the beach. The dancers included many visitors who are already guests at the hotel and a great many who are stopping at the several cottages on the beach and sound. The evening cars to the beach were crowded with passengers nearly all of whom were bound for the opening at the Seashore.

The ball room was a blaze of light and every environment contributed to the brilliancy of the affair. Prof. Weber's orchestra which had just arrived, was found to be in fine trim and the music furnished was excellent. The dance augurs brightly for the series of mid-week and week-end dances that will be given at the hotel during the season.

BURNING OF STEAMER LILLY.

Loss Pretty Well Covered—Sea Gate to Carolina Beach.

The steamer Lilly belonging to Capt. John W. Harper and which was burned to the water's edge at Southport Friday midnight, was insured for $6,000 with the agencies of Col. Walker Taylor and Messrs. J. H. Boatwright & Son., in this city. This will not quite cover Capt. Harper's loss, neither will it compensate him for the inconvenience that will necessarily result until the Lilly can be replaced with another boat. She is a complete wreck Capt. Harper had in view the enlargement of his beach schedule very materially this Summer and the burning of the Lilly will interfere somewhat with his plans as the steamer Southport will have to go on the government line until other arrangements are made.

However Capt, Harper has arranged with the steamer Sea Gate to touch at Carolina Beach pier on her trips up from Southport daily, leaving Southport about 7 A. M. This will give beach residents the advantage of an early boat up from the beach. The service will begin to-morrow week. The train will leave the beach at 7:45 A. M.

D. T. OATES, ESQ., DEAD.

Passed Away Yesterday Evening in a Richmond Hospital.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Fayetteville, N. C., June 9.—David T. Oates, a prominent and successful lawyer of this bar, died in the Richmond hospital at 6 o'clock this evening. He was operated upon last night for peritonitis. As chairman of the judicial executive committee he temporarily organized Wednesday's convention, and then took an active part in the proceedings for Mr. Sinclair. He had been doing much work for the Raleigh and Southport railroad, representing it here. Thursday he was taken sick and Friday was carried to Richmond accompanied by his wife and brother, John A. Oates, editor of the North Carolina Baptist. At thirty-six years of age he commanded a large practice and was a popular lawyer.

Their Sentencing Postponed.

The mandate of the U. S. Supreme Court in the cases of the mutineers, Adams and Sawyer was received yesterday by the clerk of the U. S. Court in this city together with an order from Judge Purnell, postponing the special term of the court for sentencing the prisoners from Tuesday of this week until Tuesday of next week. The postponement was necessary on account of a prolongation of the term at Raleigh.

Arrivals at Hotel Tarrymoore.

Among the late arrivals at the Hotel Tarrymoore are the following: Mr. G. E. Pratt, Chicago; Mrs. F. M. Wooten, Camden, S. C.; Miss Florence Wooten, Maxton, N. C.; Mrs. R. L. Huffines, Rocky Mount, N. C.; Mr. J. Eisenberger, Philadelphia; Mr. J. G. Humphrey, Castle Haynes; Mr. Jno. P. Harrison, New York; Mr. Churchill Houston, Philadelphia; Mr. Chas. E. Brooks, Fayetteville, N. C.

To Sell City Property.

Pursuant to authority given by resolution of the Board of Aldermen the Public Building Committee of the city will offer for sale by public auction at the door of the City Hall on next Saturday, June 16th, at 11 o'clock, the lot of iron fence, granite posts, etc., formerly used as an enclosure around the City Hall building.

Lumina Bowling Contest.

On the play-off after 9 o'clock last night C. R. Brinkley won the $5 prize offered in the Lumina bowling contest, his score having been 403. Others were J. McRee Hatch, 351; W. G. Smith, 337; R. C. Orr, 332 and J. W. Curtis, 291.

ON LOCAL DIAMOND

City League Ball Games Again Attracted Large Crowd to Hilton Yesterday.

TWO GOOD EXHIBITIONS.

Y. M. C. A. and Market Street Giants The Winners—How the Teams Stand in the Percentage Column—Enthusiasm Marked.

The weather conditions were again propitious and another immense gathering of the faithful wandered out to Hilton yesterday afternoon to witness the second of the games in the series of the City Baseball League. And they were well repaid for the visit. The games were good and there was much enthusiasm on the bleachers and in the grandstand. In the first game the Y. M. C. A. defeated the Monarchs to the tune of 15 to 3 and in the second the Market Street Giants took the Seventh Sttreet Rattlers into camp by a score of 4 to 3. The first game was rather slow but the second was close and exciting. It was impossible to tell at any time which way victory was going to fall at the end of the ninth. The first game was called at the end of the eighth inning in order that the second might proceed at the hour appointed.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Y. M. C. A.	12	5	5
Monarchs	3	2	13

Batteries: Houston and Houston: Poisson and McKoy.

Summary—Base on balls, off Houston, 2; off Poisson, 3. Struck out by Houston, 10; by Poisson, 4. Time, two hours. Umpire, Mr. Louis T. Moore.

The second game was fast and snappy. Seifert's catching and throwing was a feature. In fact, both teams were together from the jump and played exceptionally good ball all through. The nearly five hundred enthusiastic followers of the game, including a large contingent of the ladies, were enthusiastic in their praise of the remarkable work done by the players on both teams.

The score:	R.	H.	E.
Market Street Giants	4	6	6
Seventh Street Rattlers	3	5	5

Batteries: Brinkley, Gore and Seifert; Sallings and Moore.

Summary—Struck out by Brinkley, 2; by C. Gore, 8; by Sallings, 8. Hit by pitched ball, Sallings 1. Time, 1:10. Umpire, Mr. J. R. Davis.

The Y. M. C. A. and Rattlers now stand 500 in the percentage column; the Giants, an even thousand and the Monarchs are bringing up the rear as tailenders, not having won a single game. However, the team is a good one and will not linger long at the foot. The games next Saturday promise to be even better than any of those yet played and there will be an increased attendance.

VETERANS TO CAMP.

Will Occupy State Grounds—Raleigh Dispensary Election.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 9.—Governor Glenn this morning at the request of general J. S. Carr and Major H. A. London granted permission for the North Carolina Division, United Confederate Veterans, to go into camp on the State camp grounds at Morehead right after the encampment of the North Carolina National Guard, August 7th. As much as possible of the encampment equipment will be left for the old soldiers.

Rev., S. J. Betts, who has been working up petitions for the calling of an election in Raleigh on "dispensary" or "prohibition" in defiance of the opposition of many of the citizens who led the fight two years ago against open saloons and in favor of the present dispensary, announced that he now has all the signers necessary to force the Aldermen to call the election. At his request Mayor Johnson has made a call for a special session of the Aldermen Monday night to receive the petitions. Four hundred and twenty-four signers are necessary for calling the election and Rev. Betts has 450, who, he says, cannot be questioned. He has 800 in all.

Alderman Moore's Condition.

The condition of Alderman P. Q. Moore was somewhat improved last night and his chances are thought now to be better than at any time since he was operated upon. This will indeed be welcome news to hundreds of friends. He was not so well yesterday morning but his condition practically all day yesterday gave every hope to family and friends.

Funeral of Jno. G. Norwood.

The funeral of the late John G. Norwood will be conducted from St. Mark's Episcopal church, colored, at 6 o'clock this afternoon and the remains will be laid to rest in Pine Forest cemetery. All members of the family have arrived to attend the obsequies.

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All announcements of Fairs, Festivals, Balls, Hops, Picnics, Society Meetings, Political meetings, etc., will be charged regular advertising rates.

Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired, charged transient rates for time actualy published.

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any rate.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks, etc., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

Advertisements inserted once a week in Daily will be charged $1.00 per inch for each insertion. Every other day, three-fourths of daily rate. Twice a week, two-thirds of daily rate.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Avertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

SERVED HIM RIGHT.

Captain William March, master of an oyster boat on the Chesapeake Bay had on his vessel a young fellow named J. W. Gallagher. Galalgher wanted to quit the ship but March wouldn't let him, forcibly kept him on board, cuffed him around, and kept food from him when it suited him. For restraining Gallagher of his liberty, March has been convicted of peonage in the Federal court at Norfolk, the penalty for which is a maximum imprisonment of five years and a fine of $1,000. This thing of interfering with a man's freedom is a serious matter, and when a man has so little conception of another man's rights and privileges he ought to be sobered up in the penitentiary. The law should also provide that the party who plays the tyrant should pay damages to his victim who has not only had a crime committed against him but has been humiliated and deprived of a chance to eran something for himself. The peonage laws are all right. When a man respects others' rights he need have no fear of them. It is the next thing to taking a man's life to deprive him of his liberty.

WHY THE BRYAN'S WAVE.

The Bryan revival in this country is unmistakable. In fact it seems to be sweeping all before it. Bryan long ago stated his principles and emphasized them with a persistent consistency and went on a tour around the world. During his absence the Democracy of the country North and South seem to be turning to him without his lifting a hand. It is quite apparent that the dominant element want him for President, and it matters not whether he were defeated twice, they still offer him to the people of the Republic as the man for their President. It is truly astonishing but it is true.

It is not hard to predict who is to be the choice of the Democratic national convention in 1908. It will be Bryan if he lives and wants it. If he doesn't want it, he will be in a position to name the man that he does want. Four State Democratic conventions have in the past two weeks adopted resolutions strongly endorsing him, the States referred to being Missouri, Arkansas, South Dakota, and Indiana. It is not alone in the South but in the North that the Bryan revival is on. It appears further more that all shades of Democrats are leaning towards Bryan. Democrats who voted against him in 1896 and 1900 are enthusiastic for him in 1896 Some of the conspicuous men who have declared for him are Governor Francis, of Missouri, DeLancy, Nicoll, of New York, and the brilliant Henry Watterson of the Louisville Courier Journal. These are just a few.

What is the cause of it? While we mention prominent men who are turning to Bryan, probably more conspicuous is the tone of the anti-Bryan papers towards the revival. As a newspaper the Star would be recreant did it not point to the trend Bryanward, and probably everybody who can read knows the cause of it as well as we do. The Brooklyn Citizen (Dem.) which never took to Bryan, explains it as follows:

"It is not difficult to understand the sudden popularity of Bryan with all shades of Democrats. Since the retirement of Mr. Cleveland, Mr. Bryan has been the biggest figure in national Democratic politics. When he first appeared on the scene in the role of a champion of the proletariat, he captivated large numbers of his fellow citizens by the charm of his oratory and that indefinable quality called magnetism. Something of the adulation of the Whigs for Henry Clay was exhibited in the hero worship of the more immoderate Bryanites.

"The old-time Democrats were not disposed to accept Bryan as a correct expositor of the Democratic faith, and his financial views were regarded as savoring of Coxeyism. In his second campaign, Mr. Bryan, while not publicly recanting his financial heresies, was shrewd enough not to flaunt them on the stump, and by making anti-imperialism his chief issue, he succeeded in allaying the prejudices of many of the old line Democrats.

"The campaign of 1904 made it clear that the electorate in both parties demanded relief from the abuses and oppressions of the great capitalists of the country, and this sentiment has grown increasingly strong as the public conscience has been shocked by the revelations of the moral turpitude of the controlling classes.

"Of all of the leaders in the Democratic party, there is none who is closer to the people than Bryan. In many respects he is the typical American. Not profound, not scholarly, a brilliant talker and a thorough believer in Democratic equality, he is much of the same type of man as President Roosevelt, and the extraordinary popularity of both is due to the fact that they are typical Americans. The restlessness, the extreme energy, the self-confidence and constant desire for the limelight, coupled with great physical courage, are possibly the qualities which commend men like them to many of the people."

Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, has declared for Bryan, and a dispatch from Chicago on Friday says the Democratic editors attending the Illinois Press Association there are a unit for the Nebraskan. However, the most remarkable change to Bryan is Col. Watterson. A dispatch from Louisville on Friday says:

"Henry Watterson in to-morrow's Courier-Journal, under the caption, 'Hurrah for Bryan,' comes out squarely for the Nebraskan as the logical candidate of the Democratic party for the Presidency in 1908, saying that there is good reason for the belief that 'long before the assembling of the national Democratic convention of 1908 William Jennings Bryan will be put in nomination by States enough in their separate and several conventions to leave to the larger body on the business of confirming an agreed candidate, the selecting of his yoke mate and the building of a platform.'

"Mr. Watterson says the Nebraskan is at the best of his powers, and that if the party cannot be united upon him, upon whom can they unite? Comparing Bryan with Tilden in 1884, Watterson says the former is handicapped by no disabilities. 'He has survived the crudities and hysteria of the ill-stared campaign of 1896, and though he went to a dwindling instead of a rising vote in 1900, he held his organization and following intact. The end of the campaign of 1904 saw him the one king pin erect and standing; since then it must be conceded that he has carried himself with prudence and aplomb, indicating to thoughtful observers the growing rather than the waning man.'

"Concluding Mr. Watterson says the Republican party is a mammoth trust, and the greatest of all syndicates, and it could not, if it would, mend any of the abuses which have grown up under its ministration. In conclusion Mr. Watterson says, speaking of Mr. Bryan:

"'Mr. Bryan has served his probation and earned his reward. He can be trusted to take the helm and to steer us away from the breakers of greed and graft politics, having its headquarters in the Republican steering committee of the Senate and in the Republican Speaker and his rules committee of the House.

"'The Courier-Journal accepts the situation heartily. It is a Democrat pure and simple. It nurses neither sores nor scores. Nothing has ever entered the head of it about Mr. Bryan which it did not long ago kick out at the heel, and it proposes to labor earnestly and unceasingly to make his election an accomplished fact, entertaining the while the very liveliest and largest hope."

"Mr. Watterson in an interview says that in campaign of 1908 Mr. Bryan will have no more resolute and faithful supporters than the surviving leaders of the sound money wing of the party of 1896."

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JAMES M. PITTARD.
Cedar Grove, N. C., Dec. 13, 1904.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

—People who are alarmed over the fountains that are formed in the rivers directly over the tunnel boring, may find comfort in the observation that these miniature geysers are caused by the pressure from below, not above. In other words, the weight of rock or mud over the borings is not responsible, but the force of the compressed air that escapes through crevices in them, is.—Brooklyn Citizen.

—The country is treated to the humiliating spectacle of its President passing the lie to distinguished men of both parties, accentuating his previous hasty words and action in every case where his deviating and shifting course has called forth rebuke. The Republican party and its leaders are disintegrating and it almost appears that conditions have about thrust a coming victory upon the Democracy—Kingston (N. Y.) Leader.

—There must be enormous profits in the liquor business. A witness of unquestioned integrity testified before the South Carolina dispensary investigating committee that a dealer in Baltimore sold sixty thousand dollars worth of liquor to the institution, gave the managers a rebate of $8,000, and then adulterated and doctored the product so that he would not lose on the transaction. From the wail which comes from Durham and other buying towns we are forced to believe that some of the adulterated stuff was shipped to Raleigh by mistake.—Raleigh Times.

—The death rate of the negro was the subject of a conference held at Atlanta University last week, a peculiarly interesting subject in view of what has been said lately by some alleged authorities as to the dying out of the colored people in the South. The figures gathered by the Atlanta conference prove the opposite. The negro death rate diminished from 29.9 to 29.6 in the decade preceding the last census, while the negro death rate in cities has fallen off from 31.5 to 27.6. Deaths from consumption have diminished from 546 per 100,000 to 485. The deaths of children under one year of age numbered 355 per 1,000 in 1890, and 344 per 1,000 in 1900. That these figures are terribly high cannot be denied. That they indicate the ultimate wiping out of the negro population is equally far from true.—Syracuse (N. Y.) Post-Standard.

—"President Edwin A Alderman is making a splendid success as the head of the University of Virginia,' said Judge R. T. W. Duke, Jr., a prominent lawyer of Charlottesville, the home of the University, and a member of the Miller board of trustees, at the Raleigh last night. He is making a success in getting money for the institution and in drawing scholars also," he continued. "In a week or so, at commencement, he will probably be able to report gifts to the University aggregating more than $1,000.000. He has interested Mr. Carnegie and others, and since he has been its president has collected more money for the University than was secured in all the 20 years preceding. There have also been more students in the institution than ever before, and its reputation has spread abroad. With the student body Mr. Alderman is popular. He is thoroughly interested in the extension of popular education throughout the entire South. In the latter work he was a pioneer and has been prominent for many years."—Washington Post.

TWINKLINGS.

——'Ain't this dreadful, Marthy? Here's the papers say the old soldiers of the malicious corpse are shooting good men in San Francisco."—Baltimore American.

—"Do you really think this medicine will cure your dog's cough?" asked the friend. "Oh, yes," said the other, "I tried it on my husband, and it cured him."—Detroit Free Press.

—"Why was their engagement broken off? Did they quarrel?" "No; that was just it. They were both so amiable that they got tired of each other."—Chips.

—"It's a difficult matter nowadays to find an easy job," said the man who comments on things. "That's right," replied Senator Badger, "and the hardest work some men do is looking for one."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

—"Johnny's in love with his teacher, isn't he?" "Well, he was, but he's feeling somewhat squelched now. He wriote her a letter and she gave it back to him with all the mistakes in spelling corrected in red ink."—Cleveland Leader.

—Nell—She talks a good deal about her grandmother's position in society. Belle—Well, all her grandmother's positions were in society. She never engaged as cook with any but the swellest families.—Philadelphia Ledger.

THE PLATO FAD.

A new phenomenon is about to be witnessed in English life, says the London Express. Having tried palmistry, crystal gazing, Christian Science, bridge and party politics, society is about to study Plato. A dozen or so of the leading women of the aristocracy, including the Duchess of Sutherland and the Duchess of Marlborough, have formed a committee to organize the philosophic movement, and Dr. Emil Reich, the well known historian, who lectures in the London university, is to give a series of addresses at Claridge's hotel, to be followed by discussion, in which the peeresses will take part. It is expected that this will be merely the prelude to the formation of philosophic circles in other grades of society and that the study of Plato will before long become an established feature of London life.

Too Thin.

There is a representative in congress from the west who is exceedingly thin. Being a very good natured man, this representative always takes in good part any joking reference to his slenderness. Indeed he is not averse to a jest himself in that connection, as is illustrated by an incident that occurred in a street car in Washington.

It appears that just as the car was rounding a curve a burly citizen lurched forward and sat in the congressman's lap. He recovered himself quickly and began a profuse apology, when he was interrupted by the statesman's cheery "That's all right."

"But," added the congressman plaintively, "I wish, my friend, that you'd tell me whether you thought I was painted on the seat."—Harper's Weekly.

Biggest Mill In the World.

On the banks of the Merrimac river at South Lawrence, Mass., the American Woolen company is building a mill which makes most other American buildings seem small in comparison. This one mill is 1,900 feet—considerably over a third of a mile—in length. It has a width of 150 feet, is six stories in height and will cost $3,500,000.

This mill will give employment to 6,000 persons, and to save the time and strength of the thousands who will be employed on the upper floors escalators will be provided which will lift 4,000 of them to the fourth, fifth and sixth stories in five minutes. Engines of 10,000 horsepower will actuate the machinery, all transmission of power being by electricity.—Hartford Times.

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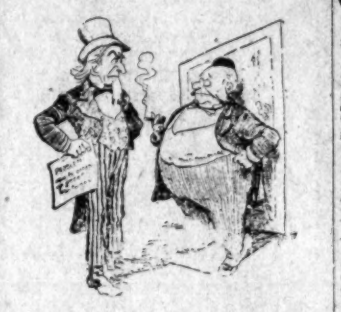

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DO NOT FAIL TO VISIT CAROLINA Beach Skating rink to-day. Good breezy time guaranteed. No extra charge for falling. je10-1t

THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY WILL have an excursion Tuesday, the 12th, to Carolina Beach. Refreshments will be served. je10-1t

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FOR CHOICE N. C. HAMS Shoulders or anything you may n in Fancy and Staple Groceries, Fru and Vegetables in season, Call 'phc 547 and have your wants suppli quick. S. F. Craig. may29-tf

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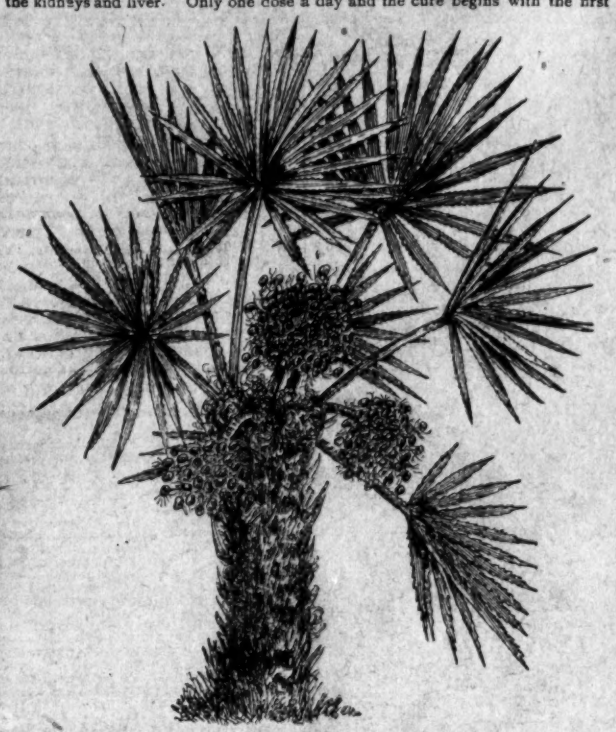

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Happenings and Doings In Society.

By G. N. H.

Miss Margaret Iredell Harriss left Thursday for Richmond, Va., on a visit to Miss Fannie Johnson McRee.

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Mr. Raymond Hunt who has been on an outing for the past ten days, will be welcomed home this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ed. P. Dudley have leased the Cronly cottage on Wrightsville Beach for the Summer. They will occupy the house to-morrow.

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Mrs. William Rand Kenan, Miss Sarah Kenan and Mrs. Jessie Kenan Wise, who have been on a delightful visit to Toxaway and the Sapphire country have returned to the city.

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Dr. and Mrs. Edward Jenner Wood, after pleasant visit in Venice, Naples and other places of note and interest, are now in Munich, Germany, where they will spend the Summer.

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Mrs. Harry G. Latimer, Jr., and Mrs. Harry S. Sleicher, of Auburn, New York, will spend the month of June and part of July in the Berkshire Hills with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Latimer, Sr.

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Mrs. Russell Bellamy, who has been a visitor in this city for the past two months, returned to New York last night. Her visit was much enjoyed by her acquaintances and was all too short for her many friends who regret her departure.

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Among the participants at the commencement ball at Chapel Hill last Thuraday evening were, Miss Isabel Rountree, Miss Mary Calder, Miss Mary Allan Short, Mr. Milton Calder, and Mr. Aldert Smeeds Root, of this city.

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Mrs. Anne DeRosset Harris left for Newbern last Monday where a series of musical and dramatic entertainments are being arranged for that pretty little city and nearby towns. The fact of Mrs. Harris' being in charge guarantees artistic success, which should insure financial success for the Daughters of the Confederacy, under whose auspices the entertainments will be given.

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Miss Tallulah DeRosset was the hostess at a most pleasant meeting of her card club last week at which delicious refreshments were served and an evening of much pleasure was spent. Euchre was played, the lady's prize, a beautiful silver cologne bottle, being won by Miss Marguerite Walker and a handsome gold scarf pin fell to Mr. Harold M. Chase.

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Of the June marriages, that of Miss Neppie Carithers Borden and Mr. Joseph Archibald Cannon has called forth many very pleasant remarks and is regarded by a large number as one of the prettiest ever witnessed in this city. The ceremony was in Grace Methodist church, last Tuesday afternoon. The edifice had been beautifully decorated for the occasion and the auditorium of the church, with its aisles, leading up on an angle from the east and west entrances to the pretty decorated altar, lent an effectiveness which was very pleasing.

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It was Captain Harper's privilege and pleasure to have as his guests on the steamer Wilmington last Thursday, Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, Miss Julia Jackson Christian, Miss May Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. D. Meares, Mrs. William M. Paraley, Miss Mary Meares, Miss Atha Hicks and Miss Isabel Williams. The visitors were enthusiastic in their praises of the beauties of the rever and the delights of the boat trip to Southport, where they spent several hours very pleasantly.

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Miss Beulah Armstrong is on a pleasant visit to the family of Mr. Chas. S. Ellis, at the Isle of Hope, near Savannah. Miss Armstrong has, since her departure some weeks ago, visited friends in Union, S. C., Augusta, Ga., and last week was the guest of honor at a beautiful bridge party given in compliment to her, in Greensboro, Ga., where she was the guest of Miss Hallie Parks. She has been the recipient of many attention in Union and Augusta.

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The pretty and attractive parlors of the residence of Dr. and Mrs. William J. H. Bellamy were made more beautiful by banks of pink hydrangias artistically arranged in vases and bowls, last Saturday evening, the occasion being a very pleasant bridge party, at which Miss Lila Bellamy was hostess. The handsome pink hydrangias indicated the color scheme which was also emphasized by the delicate refreshments. Mrs. Bellamy's guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. V. B. VanDyck, Miss Lucile Murchison, Mrs.. Russell Bellamy, Mr. Jno. J. Blair, Mr. Thos. B. Willard and Mr. William J. Bellamy.

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Mrs. Stonewall Jackson, Miss Julia Jackson Christian, and Miss May Morrison were visitors in the city last Sunday, attending the services at the First Presbyterian church. At the conclusion of the services there was a heavy downpour of rain which kept the congregation housebound for an hour or more. As is the custom, the congregation welcomed the strangers and found they were honored by the presence of the widow and granddaughter of a hero of the Confederacy whose name is revered by those who welcomed them, as well as by some who followed the gallant Jackson through trying times in the Valley of Virginia.

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Lieutenant Commander Edwin A. Anderson, U. S. N., a native Wilmingtonian, has loaned to the State Library over five hundred volumes which have been installed in the special book cases provided for the purpose. Nearly all of the books are very valuable, as they are out of print, and many of them were once a part of the James Haskill library which was purchased by his grandfather and descended to him throught the Lillingtons, his material ancestors. Some volumes bear autographs of Christopher Gale, dated 1692. This is the first private library to be thus loaned.

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Mr. Harry Gibbons Smallbones, Jr., and Miss Louise Ellen Wells were happily united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Gainesville, Fla., on last Tuesday afternoon. The ceremony which made them man and wife was beautiful in its simplicity, the bride being robed in a pure white simple gown and was attended only by her two sisters. Mr. Smallbones had as his best man, Mr. J. Marion James, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Smallbones remained in Gainesville until Thursday when they left for their home, stopping en route, and arrived in this city yesterday where Mrs. Smallbones received warm welcomes from the relatives and friends of her husband.

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Miss Julia Jackson Christian, of Atlanta, was sponsor for a handsome little craft which was put in commission last week at the Hotel Tarrymoore, and Miss May Morrison, of Charlotte, was the maid of honor. It was a simple little ceremonial which put the staunch little craft in commission. At a given signal Miss Christian broke a bottle of White Seal on the prow of the boat, naming it, Atlanta, in honor of the Georgia city, and Miss Morrison "broke" to the breezes a pretty little flag bearing the name. The Atlanta is 35 feet over all and is equipped with an eight-horse power, double cylinder gasoline engine of the most improved kind. The launch will be used as a pleasure craft by the guests of the hotel.

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A full moon, pleasant companions, a smooth well-kept driveway and a good team, all contributed to an evening of pleasure to a merry party, chaperoned by Mrs. Richard H. Grant. The occasion was an ever popular straw-ride over the turnpike to Wrightsville and thence to Lumina over the trolley line, which took place last Wednesday evening. The party was a very light-hearted crowd, who enjoyed every minute of the time, and were Misses Nellie Savage, Jennie O'Neil, Lillie Taylor, Eugie Woodruff, Jennie Woodruff, Anna Grant, Dell Burbank, Florrie Grant, Kate Myers, Lauriston Hardin, and Messrs. Geo. Ashe, Joe Jacobs, Henry Nash, Edward Hines, DeLaigle Munds, Marion Harris, Dixie Bowler, Louis Poisson, Clem Brown, Milton, Gore, Fred Poisson, Bernard O'Neal, Herbert O'Neal, Geo. Jackson, Sidney McMillan, Albert Forney, Theodore Kingsbury, George Meares, Frank Williams and Clarence LeGrand.

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Following the Flag.

When our soldiers went to Cuba and the Philippines, health was the most important consideration. Willis T. Morgan, retired Commissary Sergeant U. S. A., of Rural Route 1, Concord, N. H., says: "I was two years in Cuba and two years in the Philippines, and being subject to colds, I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which kept me in perfect health. And now, in New Hampshire, we find it the best medicine in the world for coughs, colds, bronchial troubles and all lung diseases. Guaranteed at all Druggists. Price 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free. **

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DEDICATION OF HANDSOME NEW ANNEX TO MOTHER CHURCH IN BOSTON TO-DAY CO-INCIDENT WITH REGULAR COMMUNION —A SKETCH OF THE WORK.

(Communicated.)

An event of special significance to Christian Scientists, is transpiring in the city of Boston to-day. It is the dedication of the handsome new annex, recently built to the Mother Church of the Christian Science denomination. This dedication service is coincident with the regular communion of the church, which is always the occasion of a large gathering of visitors. The attendance this year, however, will be greater than it has ever been, as Christian Science churches from all parts of the United States and Canada, Great Britain, Australia, Sweden, Denmark, France, Germany, Switzerland, the Hawaiian Islands, South America and other foreign countries will send representatives.

To those who are not Christian Scientists, it may be of interest to know that this church is one of the largest, if not the largest church in the United States. It will seat 5,012 and to facilitate the seating of so large an audience, there are twelve entrances and seven staircases. Built of Concord granite and Bedford stone, and standing 224 feet in height, this massive structure has called forth many expressions of admiration from passers-by, during the past few months. The edifice has cost nearly two millions of dollars and has been paid for by voluntary contributions from Christian Scientists all over the world.

Growth of the Movement.

Forty years ago there was not a Christian Science church, nor a Christian Scientist, in the world. In the year 1866 Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy experienced a remarkable healing, which she felt could have meen accomplished only by divine power. For three years thereafter she made a close study of the Bible, seeking for, and striving to learn, the principle of her healing. In 1875 her book, Science of Health With Key of The Scriptures, was published. A few years later, the first Christian Science church was organized in Boston with twenty-six members.

In 1894 there were more than 2,000 Christian Scientists and in this year the Mother Church was built, with a seating capacity of 1,200. At that time many thought it too large, but at the present time, it is necessary to hold four services, each Sunday, in order to accommodate the large congregations. As the result of Mrs. Eddy's tireless labors, there are to-day 657 Christian Science churches and 275 societies, not yet organized into churches, making a total of 932 societies holding weekly church services. The membership of these churches is about 72,000, but this by no means represents the number interested in Christian Science. At many of the church services those who are not Christian Scientists, outnumber those who are.

Christian Science Defined.

Christian Science is defined by the Century Dictionary, as "a system of religious teaching, based on the Scriptures, which originated with the Rev. Mary Baker G. Eddy, about 1866. Its most notable application is in professed cure of disease by mental and spiritual means." Mrs. Eddy claims for Christian Science, that it is the Christianity taught and practised by Jesus Christ. When questioned by the disciples of John, as to whether He were the Christ, Jesus referred them to his works. When questioned today, as to whether they are Christians —followers of Christ, Christian Scientists, quoting the words of Jesus, "By their fruits ye shall know them," will tell you of sinful lives corrected, blighted homes made happy, clouds of poverty and despair lifted, dread diseases cured, and love for God and man increased.

Attitude of Christian Scientists Toward the Bible.

Christian Scientists use the King James version of the Bible and the first of their church tenents declares, that they take the Scriptures to be their sufficient guide of eternal life. Among no other people, can be found more devout Bible students, than may be found among Christian Scientists. They believe, absolutely, the promises of God and are not afraid to trust all their affairs to His wisdom.

The Text Book.

The Bible and Mrs. Eddy's book, Science and Health, with Key to The Scriptures, are the authorized text books of the denomination. Mrs. Eddy's book is now in its 400th edition of 1,000 copies each, which fact would seem to indicate no small amount of interest outside the ranks.

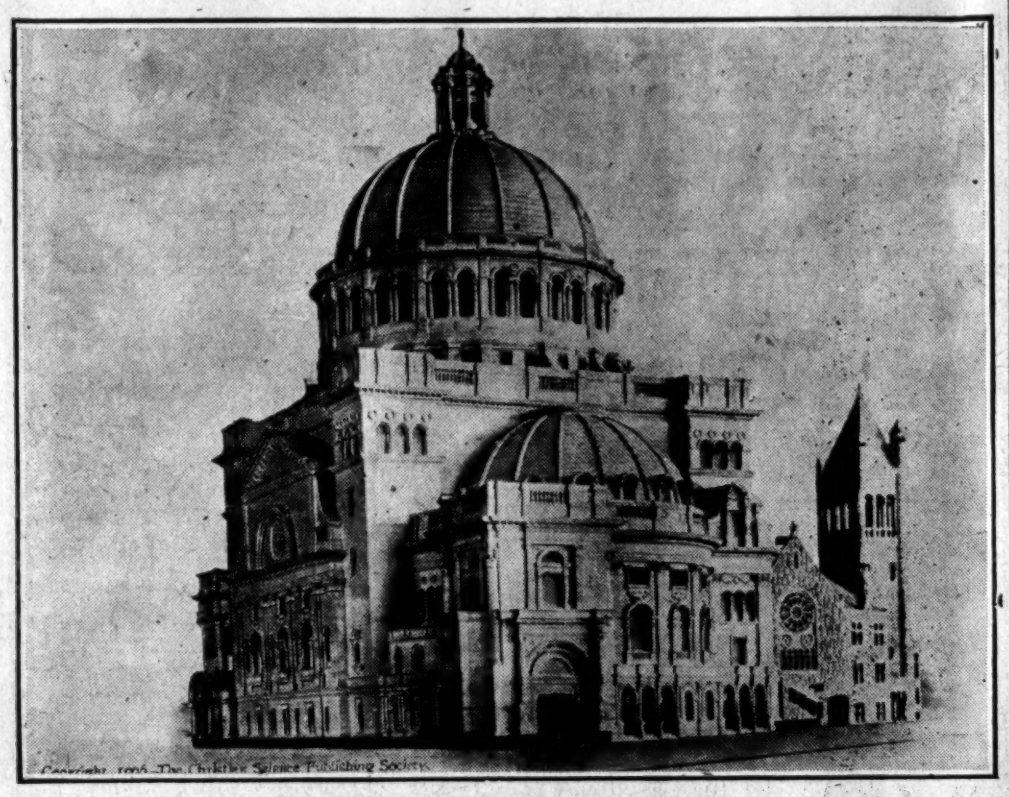
Attitude Towards Mrs. Eddy.

Mrs. Eddy, the Discoverer and Founder of Christian Science, is still the Leader of the movement. Christian Scientists concede that she knows more of Christian Science than does any one else, and the success which has attended her efforts for forty years has inspired them with confidence in her ability to lead. To the members of her church she says, "Follow me only as I follow Christ." In a recent letter to the directors of the Mother Church, Mrs. Eddy said "Now is the time to throttle the lie, that students worship me, or that I claim their homage" and the following card was sent to the Christian Science Sentinel of April 28th, 1906. "To the beloved members of my church, the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientists, of Boston: Divine Love bids me say, Assemble not at the residence of your Pastor Emeritus at or about the time of our annual meeting and communion service, for the divine and not the human should engage our attention at this sacred season of prayer and praise. "This request will be respected by all Christian Scientists. Pioneer work along any line is fraught with hardships. The message, which she hoped would be gladly welcomed, was found to be at variance with humanity's pre-conceived theories and opionions. She was derided, persecuted and refused a hearing. The message seemed to good to be true and she had to prove its truthfulness, for many years, with but little human sympathy. To-day, thousands are actively working with her, and proving, beyond the shadow of a doubt, that God does heal the sick as well as sinful and with spiritual means alone. Those who have found in her teachings a panacea for the ills and woes of human existence feel for her a genuine affection, and in giving expression to this they have been charged with worshipping Mrs. Eddy. Nothing could be more untrue, Christian Scientists worship the one God, and they have been led into a fuller recognition of what this means, throught the study of their Leader's writings.

Personnel of the Sect.

Christian Scientists as a body will compare favorably with any other body of Christians. Christian Science has drawn to its ranks members of the legal profession, ministers, business men and women and indeed, from almost every station in life, may be found those who have come to find the health and happiness it promises. That it fulfills its promise is attested by the loyalty and generosity of its adherents. When asked, "Where do your members come from," one of the prominent lecturers answered "Most of us come from our graves. A few come because of the high degree of spiritual teaching, but most of us came to be healed of our diseases, when all else had failed."

Christian Scientists do not claim to be immune from disease at their present stage of growth, but they do maintain that they have less fear of disease, that when it attacks them they recover more quickly and that the terrors of the sick room are largely eliminated by their unswerving loyalty to the teaching of Christian Science, viz: That God is both willing and able to heal them.



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7.75 p	4.30 a	Lv Wash'ngt'n Lv	8.36 p	9.55 a
11.00 p	9.40 a	Lv Richmond Lv	4.55 p	6.10 a
4.15 a	4.00 p	Lv Raleigh Lv	11.50 a	1.10 a
6.20 a	6.16 p	Lv S'th'n P'n's Ar	9.45 a	11.06 p
7.15 a	7.30 p	Ar Hamlet Lv	8.50 a	10.00 p
8.40 a	7.50 p	Lv Hamlet Ar	8.40 a	7.35 p
1.00 p	11.59 p	Ar Wilmingt'n Lv	4.30 a	3.00 p

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

8.24 p	9.00 a	Lv Norfolk Ar	5.45 p	8.00 a
9.00 p	9.25 a	Lv Porthm't'h Lv	5.30 p	7.45 a
2.33 a	2.10 p	Lv Henderson Lv	1.07 p	2.35 a
4.15 a	4.00 p	Lv Raleigh Lv	11.50 a	1.10 a
7.15 a	7.30 p	Ar Hamlet Lv	8.50 a	10.15 p
8.40 a	7.50 p	Lv Hamlet Ar	8.40 a	8.40 p
1.00 p	11.59 p	Ar Wilmingt'n Lv	4.30 a	3.00 p

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

4.05 pm	Lv	Birmingham	Ar	11.59 am
9.25 pm	Ar	Atlanta	Lv	6.40 am
10.35 pm	Lv	Atlanta	Ar	7.30 am
12.33 am	Lv	Athens	Lv	5.19 am
2.45 am	Lv	Greenwood	Lv	3.13 am
4.45 am	Ar	Chester	Lv	1.00 am
7.35 am	Ar	Hamlet	Lv	10.05 pm
8.40 am	Lv	Hamlet	Ar	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	Ar	Wilmington	Lv	3.00 pm

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Jacksonville and Tampa.

8.30 am	Lv	Tampa	Ar	6.35 pm
5.20 pm	Ar	Jacksonville	Lv	9.20 am
7.50 pm	Lv	Jacksonville	Ar	8.55 am
12.10 am	Lv	Savannah	Lv	4.45 am
4.25 am	Lv	Columbia	Lv	1.20 am
6.25 am	Lv	Camden	Lv	12.13 am
8.40 am	Ar	Hamlet	Lv	10.05 pm
8.40 am	Lv	Hamlet	Ar	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	Ar	Wilmington	Lv	3.00 pm

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4.30 a	3.00 p	Lv Wilmingt'n Ar	11.59 p	1.00 p
6.58 a	5.35 p	Lv Lumberton Lv	9.32 p	10.19 a
7.23 a	6.00 p	Lv Pembroke Lv	9.07 p	9.25 a
7.46 a	6.33 p	Lv Maxton Lv	8.44 p	9.30 a
3.03 a	6.57 p	Lv Laurinburg Ar	8.27 p	9.11 a
8.40 a	7.35 p	Ar Hamlet Lv	7.50 p	8.40 a
9.00 a	7.50 p	Lv Hamlet Lv	7.30 p	7.10 a
10.55 a	9.30 p	Lv Monroe Lv	5.55 p	5.40 a
11.50 a	10.45 p	Lv Charlotte Ar	5.00 p	5.00 a
4.00 p		Ar Charlotte Lv	10.15 a	
5.32 p		Lv Lincolnt'n Lv	8.40 a	
6.40 p		Lv Shelby Ar	7.45 a	
8.00 p		Ar Ruth'fort'n Lv	6.30 a	

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EASTBOUND	No. 1 Daily A. M.	No. 3 Daily P. M.
Lv. Goldsboro	8.00	3.40
" Best's	8.21	4.01
" LaGrange	8.32	4.13
" Falling Creek	8.43	4.25
" Kinston	8.56	4.40
" Caswell	9.13	4.52
" Cove	9.41	5.16
" Tuscarora	9.51	5.26
Ar. Newbern	10.10	5.48
Lv. Newbern	10.15	5.55
" Riverdale	10.34	6.18
" Croatan	10.38	6.22
" Havelock	10.50	6.35
" Newport	11.06	6.52
" Wildwood	11.12	6.58
" Mansfield	11.16	7.02
Ar. Morehead City	11.30	7.20
" Morehead City Depot	11.40	7.30
	P. M.	
" Beaufort (BMC&OSSCo)	12.20	8.10

WESTBOUND	No. 3 Daily A. M.	No. 4 Daily P. M.
Lv. Beaufort (BMC&OSSCo)	7.00	3.35
" Morehead City Depot	7.40	4.15
" Morehead City	7.50	4.22
" Mansfield	8.01	4.33
" Wildwood	8.05	4.37
" Newport	8.11	4.45
" Havelock	8.27	4.59
" Croatan	8.39	5.11
" Riverdale	8.43	5.15
Ar. Newbern	9.05	5.40
Lv. Newbern	9.10	5.48
" Tuscarora	9.31	6.10
" Cove	9.41	6.20
" Dover	9.58	6.36
" Caswell	10.08	6.46
" Kinston	10.22	7.00
" Falling Creek	10.35	7.13
" LaGrange	10.47	7.26
" Best's	10.58	7.37
Ar. Goldsboro	11.20	7.55

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 43	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 20 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	2 08 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 53 p m	
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar. Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar. Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar. New York	7.30 a m	3.00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 12 p m	2 22 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk		8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	5 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	5 45 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 53 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar. Wilson	11.40 p m	2.05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 58 a m	3 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 05 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv. Wilmington	8 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar. Florence	9.35 am	7.40 pm	4.15 am
Ar. Columbia	12.40 pm	10.55 pm	
Ar. Charlest'n	1.20 pm	11.40 pm	7.05 am
Ar. Savannah	6.45 pm	2.50 am	9.30 am
Ar. Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar. Tampa		6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8.35 p m	10.33 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	5.30 p m	5.55 a m
Lv. Columbia	4.30 p m	6.45 a m
Ar. Florence	8.20 p m	9.25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	12.05 a m	1.40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9.10 a m	Ar. 3.00 p m
Ar. Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun.	South Bound.
Lv. Wilmington	2 25 p m	Ar. 12 20 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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*12.30 P. M.	

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6.00 A. M.	7.15 A. M.
10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
4.00 P. M.	6.15 P. M.
7.00 P. M.	8.15 P. M.

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SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
9.00 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
	9.45 A. M.
And every half hour thereafter until	And every half hour until
11.00 P. M.	11.45 P. M.
*12.30 P. M.	

*12.30 P. M. car will wait for passengers from A. C. L., 12.05., and S. A. L., 11.59, when these trains are not over 30 minutes late.

FREIGHT.

10.00 A. M.	12.15 P. M.
7.00 P. M.	8.15 P. M.
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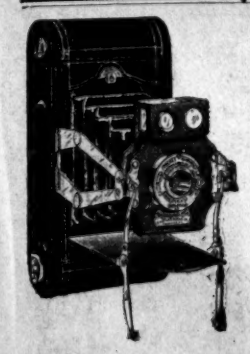

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Happenings and Doings in Society

—BY G. N. H.—

(Continued from Third Page.)

Miss Mamie Clark is on a pleasant visit to friends in Tarboro.

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The friends of Mr. Fred Kidder were pleased to welcome him among them again.

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Mr. and Mrs. Simon W. Sanders and family have moved to their Summer home on Wrightsville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jno. H. Hardin, Misses Jennie and Lauriston Hardin and the children, are cottagers at Atlantic View.

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Mrs. Spencer LeGrand and daughters, the Misses Meta, Theodore and Alice, will spend the Summer at Marietta, Ga.

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Miss Bessie Bridgers and Miss May Hunter, who had been her guest in this city, are visitors to friends in Raleigh

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Miss Florence Kidder was welcomed home last week from Madame Le Fevre's school for young ladies, where she was a pupil the past season.

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Mr. Louis B. Orrell will leave for West Point on Tuesday. He has been appointed to a cadetship and will no doubt acquit himself very handsomely, reflecting credit, as an officer of the United States Army.

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Miss Hariett French has as her guest her relative Miss Louise Lutterloh, of Florida, who has been attending one of the excellent institutions of learning in this State.

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The ladies of the Piano Club will entertain at a lawn party, at the residence of the President, Mrs. Alfred M. Waddell on Tuesday afternoon from 5 to 8 o'clock. During the afternoon members of the club will play excellent selections from well known composers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Neil D. Emerson are spending a part of their trip in the White Mountains and at noted Summer resorts in Maine. They are expected to arrive in this city about the 20th inst, and will be most cordially welcomed by their host of friends.

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It was a very pleasant party of young people who were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. James C. Loder on the steamer Wilmington last Thursday evening. In the party were Miss Etta Brand, Miss Bessie Loder, Miss Annie Hill Holmes, Miss Annette Munds, and Miss Susie Brand.

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. N. Evans entertained very charmingly their guests and a few friends Thursday evening by a river trip on the steamer Wilmington to Carolina Beach, where an excellent seafood supper awaited them. Strolls on a moonlight beach and sweet low vocal selections of popular airs were not the least of the evening's pleasure.

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Miss Myrtle MacDonald, of San Francisco, has been a most welcome guest of Miss Louise Harper, at the very attractive home of her parents, Captain and Mrs. Jno. W. Harper, on South Front street. Miss Harper's charming visitor came east in February to attend the marriage of Miss Gertrude Hughes, then of the garrison at Fort Caswell. Miss MacDonald will return to the post this week where she is the guest of Lieutenant and Mrs. Hughes.

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Beautiful in its elegance and simplicity was the ceremony w hich united in matrimony, Miss Emily Davies Evans and Mr. John William Ferguson in the First Presbyterian church last Wednesday evening. The decorations while handsome, were in keeping with the unostentation of the marriage, and the bridal party which encircled the happy couple around the altar, before which their vows were plighted, presented a scene which will linger pleasantly in the memory of many.

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Last Tuesday evening shortly after the departure of the northbound train, the bridal attendants at the Borden-Cannon marriage made a trip to Lumina where they enjoyed for a while a little dance, which was followed by a boating party in the Sound, and on beautiful Banks channel. The weather was all that could be desired and the merry party, with its forms of amusements was a fitting close of the beautiful and happy event which had brought them together. The out-of-town guests, who constituted a part of the party, returned to their homes on Wednesday morning, much to the regret of the many warm friends they had made in this city.

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The Summer season's gaities are fairly well started at Wrightsville Beach. The hotels have been formally opened, Lumina has been materially enlarged to accommodate the crowds, the clubs are open to members, nearly all the cottagers have moved down, the bowling alleys, of which there are six, are in full blast, launches sharpies, and dead rise skiffs, are being put in commission, dances every night at the hotels and Lumina, merry-go-rounds, shooting galleries, slot machines, fortune tellers, and other amusements, on the midway at "Little Coney," all conduce to pleasure, add a spice to life and augurs a gay season on the beach.

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Prettily engraved announcements, in shade Old English, have been sent to friends in this city and read as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wells
announces the marriage of their
daughter
Louise Ellen
to
Mr. Harry Gibbons Smallbones, Jr.,
June fifth, nineteen hundred and six,
Gainesville, Florida.

The at home cards enclosed were

At Home
After July first
407 Walnut street,
Wilmington, N. C.

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Mrs. William F. Morel, an accomplished musician, added very much to the pleasure of an evening of much interest to many, the occasion being the thirty-eighth annual commencement of St. Thomas' School on last Monday evening. Several selections were very artistically rendered, with exquisite touch among which was the "Angel's Dream." Mrs. Joseph H. Watters also added largely to the entertainment by singing the "Angel's Greeting" and one or two other very excellent selections. It goes without saying that Mrs. Watters' efforts were met with hearty encores and were charmingly rendered. A very attractive programme was most creditably rendered by the children of the school, the opening being a song and recitation by the primary class, welcoming those present. The following was the programme:

"A Fine Horse"—Masters Roy Sheehan, Thomas Rowan, Hugh Sweeney, Frank Reze, Cyril Long.

"The Rehearsal" — Misses Bessie Strickland, Hattie Silva, Mary Silva, Marguerite Bergen; Master Martin Flanagan, James Quinlivan, John Quinlivan.

"Merry Little Gypsies," Song—Misses Annie Sheehan, Rosa Jones, Agnes Hayden, Marguerite Bergen, Pauline Gosselin, Nellie Howard, Hepsie Rouse, Jane Silva, Estelle Skipper, Lottie Howard, Minnie DeCover, Annie Howard, Estelle Bate, Lillie Grimstead, Abbey Rouse, Kathleen Bergen.

"That Klondike Expedition."—Masters Bayne Price, Elmer Lundy, Daniel Lockfaw, Charles Bergen, Archie Burnett, Walter Bremer.

"Pleadings of the Guardian Spirit"
Soul ..... Miss Sadie Green
Angel of Inspiration. Miss Bessie Price
Wealth ..... Miss Louise Price
Ambition ..... Miss Nora Corbett
Pleasure ..... Miss Ethel Skipper
Israefel, Raphael, Uriel .....Misses Nellie Kelly, Elizabeth Gosselin, Alma Peschau.

"Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean"—Misses Lula Johnson, Nellie Kelly, Kate Reilly; Masters Daniel Lockfaw Elmer Lundy.

Nanki Poo, from Japan .....
.....Miss Rose Jones
Donna Isabel, from Spain .....
....Miss Jennie Johnston
Rose Standish, from England ....
..... Miss Nellie Strickland
Hans and Brinker, from Holland ...
.....Master Charles Bergen
Ali Hassan, Arabia .....
....Master Willie Quinlivan
Wild Bill, Cowboy, from Jampas...
..... Master Bayne Price
Columbia ..... Miss Nora Corbett
Pianist—Mrs. W. F. Morel.

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Put a teaspoonful of ammonia in a quart of warm soapsuds, dip a cloth in it and go over your soiled paint and see how rapidly the stains will disappear. No scrubbing will be necessary. It will cleanse and brighten wonderfully. To a pint of hot suds add a teaspoonful of the spirits, dip in your forks and spoons or whatever you desire to clean, rub with a soft brush and then finish with a chamois skin. For washing mirrors and windows it has no equal. It will remove grease spots from every fabric without injuring the garment. Put on the ammonia nearly clear, lay blotting paper over and set a hot iron on it for a moment; also a few drops in water will cleanse and whiten laces and muslins beautifully. A few drops in a bowl of water if the skin be oily will remove all greasiness and disagreeable odors. Added to a footbath it absorbs all noxious smells. Nothing is better to remove dandruff from the hair. For cleaning hair and nail brushes it is equally good.

Hot Water Bags.

Before a hot water bag is put away it ought to be slightly inflated, says a careful housekeeper. Otherwise the sides may adhere to each other, and in pulling them apart the bag will almost certainly be ruined. In case the precaution has been neglected and the parts have adhered some hot water with a few drops of ammonia should be put into the bag, and after a few minutes a thin, dull edged piece of wood may be inserted carefully between the two pieces of rubber.

Scrambled Words.

Guessing games are always popular, especially when prizes are offered for the most successful competitor. At a recent party a typewritten list of twenty-four "scrambled" words was given to each guest to straighten out, writing the correct word opposite the jumble. The list was taken from objects in the room, all of which were in plain sight. It included such strange appearing words as naoridn, otpyter, epilarecf, dwniwo, okobs, cutiper, kesocboa, gru, tobeak, rutnica, etc., which, being rightly interpreted, became andiron, pottery, fireplace, window, books, picture, bookcase, and so on.

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Are as common in India as ar stomach and liver disorders with us. For the latter however there is a sure remedy: Electric Bitters; the great restorative medicine, of which S. A. Borwn, of Bennettsville, S. C., says: "There restored my wife to perfect health, after years of suffering with dyspepsia and chronically torpid liver." Electric Bitters cure chills and fever, malaria, billiousness, lame back, kidney troubles and bladder disorders. Sold on guarantee by all Druggists. Price 50c.

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON. N. C.

Sunday Morning, June 10.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., June 9, 1906.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Saturday, June 9th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 78 degrees; 8 P. M., 77 degrees; Maximum, 88 degrees; minmum, 73 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since first of the month to date, 94.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Saturday, 5.3 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Sunday and probably Monday; variable winds becoming north, probably increasing.

PORT ALMANAC— June 10th.

Sun Rises .....4:41 A. M.
Sun Sets .....7:15 P. M.
Day's Length .....14 hrs. 34 min.
High Water at Southport..10.56 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington.1:26 P. M.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The County Board of Education will meet in regular monthly session this afternoon instead of to-night as usual.

—The regular, bona-fide circulation of the Sunday edition of The Morning Star has now reached a point never before attained by a daily news paper in Wilmington.

—The house of service at St. Matthew's English Lutheran church today will be Sunday school at 10 A. M., Mr. W. W. Koch, superintendent; vesper services at 5 P. M., conducted by Rev. W. A. Snyder.

—The excursion from Wadesboro, Rockingham and intermediate points on the Seaboard Air Line yesterday brought about 350 visitors to the city and beaches. The train returned last night at 8 o'clock.

—In Justice Furlong's court yesterday Valentine Howe, the negro charged with smashing Israel Loftin over the head with a plate at the hospital, was fined $5 and costs. Loftin's injuries were not serious.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of Fifth Street M. E. church will run an excursion to Carolina Beach Tuesday of this week. Refreshments will be served and a pleasant time is in store for all who will take the trip.

—Elsewhere in to-day's paper Chairman D. McEachern, of the Board of County Commissioners, advertises for constructing a concrete bridge over Mill Creek, near National Cemetery. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of Commissicner M. W. Divine.

—In Justice Furlong's court yesterday Rebecca Donaldson, the colored woman who shot her husband near the hospital some time ago, when the husband was attempting to chastise her, was found not guilty and discharged. She was represented by Herber McClammy, Esq., and sustained a plea of self-defence.

—Those who experienced what they termed the "intense heat" of Friday will probably be interested to know that Wilmington was the coolest place on the map for the day. Observe these figures, the maximum at the several stations reporting; Wilmington, 93 degrees; Charlotte, 96; Cheraw, 94; Florence, 102; Greensboro, 96; Lumberton, 98. Weldon, 98.

—Josh Williams, the railroad negro arrested Friday on suspicion of having been the negro who did the shooting at the National cemetery on Memorial Day, was found not guilty and discharged. Neill McKoy, the wounded negro, failed to identify the prisoner. The charge of vagrancy against Williams was also dismissed. He was represented by Herbert McClammy, Esq.

—A heated argument over religious matters by two citizens at Front and Princess streets last night proved a rival to the Salvation Army earlier in the evening. A great crowd congregated and the argument waxed more and more intense as the congregation assembled. The crowd finally voted a "draw" between the two men and they retired after furnishing innocent amusement for a big crowd some time.

Spend a pleasant day at Carolina Beach. Boat leaves at 9:30 A. M., 2:30 and 7:45 P. M. **

Dr. George E. Walton, author of "Mineral Springs of the United States" and "European and American Climatic Resorts Compared," a very high authority on mineral waters, says of Vade Mecum water which is advertised eleswhere: "The water of Vade Mecum Spring, N. C., is in my opinion, the best in the United States of the Alkaline-Purgative class. It is of the same character as the celebrated Carlsbad of Germany, and, like that water, exceedingly well adapted to the cure of diseases of the Liver, Castric Catarrh, Gall Stones, Gout, Gravel and diseases due to excess of uric acid. **

Funeral Notice.

The funeral services of the late John G. Norwood will be held at St. Mark's Church at 6 o'clock P. M., today. Interment in Pine Forest Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances are cordially invited to attend. *

THE CITY SCHOOLS

(Continued from Page One.)

average daily attendance, 717.8.

Grand Total, White and Colored Schools—Boys, 1,446; Girls, 1,786; total enrollment, 3,232; average daily attendance, 2238.8.

Comparative Statement.

Union—Enrollment 1904, 905; 1905-06, 1,029; Gain, 124.

Hemenway—Enrollment, 1904, 720; 1905-06, 786; Gain, 66.

High School—Enrollment 1904, 216; 1905-06, 218; Gain, 2.

Total—Enrollment 1904, 1,841; Enrollment, 1905-06, 2,033; Gain, 192.

Persons Employed—Teachers, 43; Principals, 3; Superintendent, 1; total, 47. Negro Teachers, 18; Principals, 2; total, 20. White and Colored, 67; Janitors, 5; Grand total, 72.

General Progress.

It has been observed that in time of business depression many of the older children are withdrawn from the schools to aid in the support of families, while in prosperous times their school days are prolonged. To the latter condition can be attributed the increased enrollment and the unusually large number remaining until the close of school. In addition to this there has been shown desire on the part of parents to give their children better opportunities even at a cost of continued self sacrifice.

The written reports made by all teachers of the work done in their grades are most comprehensive and satisfactory. A distinct advance along all lines is shown. As an evidence of this much of the work which has hitherto been done in the High School is now accomplised in the grammar grades. It concludes physiology and hygiene, technical grammar, higher arithmetic, English literature, composition and expression and algebra through multiplication.

Without a single exception the different classes have gone further in arithmetic than ever before. A united effort has been made to induce habits of correct spelling in every department of school work with gratifying results. In composition writing pupils express themselves with fluency and ease so that the task is not now generally regarded as an irksome one.

In the eighth grade a term's instruction was given in Civil Government, the aim being to train pupils for civic duties, not merely with reference to their future political life, but as regards existing social obligations in the school, on the street and at home. In this connection, it has been said that this age is characterized by a lack of respect for authority in the State, the school and the home. The effect of moral and civic instruction during a child's school life cannot but aid in diminishing this evil tendency. As a rule parents have cheerfully cooperated with the teachers in the government and disciplining of their children.

Teaching Force.

It is only in very recent years that teaching has taken its proper place upon the same scientific basis with the other generally recognized professions. Text book knowledge alone is not a sufficient guarantee of ability to teach. Without special knowledge of the theory and practice of education along with adequate scholarship there will be found a tendency towards narrowness, dull monotony and routine. Of the teachers in the two grammar schools ten have university or college diplomas, seven of these being from the State Normal College at Greensboro. Five are graduates of the Tileston Normal School, ten from the Wilmington High School and all except seven have diplomas from some institution of learning. Twenty-three have attended Summer schools or institutes at some time and a few have visited schools in other cities to observe the work. As to length of term of service, twelve have held their positions for ten years or more and seven others for as much as six years.

With the extension of the graded school system and rapid growth of the local tax idea the standard of efficiency required of teachers has been correspondingly raised. The State Normal School cannot begin to fill the vacancies which occur each year in the cities. Summer schools furnish a certain amount of inspiration and help, but very little that is substantial in the way of scholarship. It is to the High School then that elementary schools must look for recruits Too much emphasis cannot be laid upon the importance of filling a vacancy when one occurs with the very best available teacher.

A resolution passed at a recent meeting of the National Educational Association reads as follows: "We believe that merit and merit alone should determine the employment and retention of tachers; that after due probation; tenure of office should be permanent, during efficiency and good behavior and that promotion should be based on fitness, experience, professional growth and fidelity to duty."

Comparing the schools now with the system five years ago one sees how much more varied and extensive the mechanism is. With an enrollment of 833 boys in two grammar schools at least one strong man of culture and force should be added to the corps of teachers in each of these buildings. At the age of twelve or thirteen the boy needs to come under the influence of a man with a man's ideals, associations and help. He needs to learn from a man the principles of law, order and decency.

The High School.

The High School is more appreciated to-day than ever before. The character and dignity of its work is officially recognized by both the University and State Normal College. The preparation of our graduates in every department of college requirement work has been complimented by the faculties of these Institutions.

Gratifying reports have been received from representatives of our school who have gone to the University, State Normal, A. & M. College, Trinity, St. Mary's, Converse, G. F. C. Ann Arbor, Wellesly Preparatory, Annapolis and other places. The alumni association which now numbers 107 constitutes an honorable body and is a credit to the city. By means of receptions and meetings it keeps alive class spirit and revives the love for the school whose influence is to be felt for all time. Twenty-seven of the graduates have taught school, while in our city system ten now have positions which they are most creditably filling.

Rigid rules for entrance, classification and promotion have been strictly enforced with highly beneficial results. In this way alone can a high standard be maintained and the diploma of graduate really means what it should to the one who receives it.

The work this yer has been characterized by originality, individual research and investigation and not limited by the measure of a text book.

What is known as the Departmental Plan has been followed with good results; the divisions comprise five subjects:

1. History—Much interest has been awakened in the study of history, ancient and modern, economic conditions, forms of government and the progress of nations, the course ending with a detailed study and review of United States history, its government institutions and laws. Valuable original essays were written by members of the Senior and Junior classes, taking as subjects some noted character around which the great events of history are centered.

2. English—The work in this department showed a marked improvement in both oral and written expression; a literary taste was cultivated by the critical study of recognized masterpieces of literature, including the college requirements subjects. Much appreciation on the part of pupils was shown and it is a significant fact that the work was well done from the love of it rather than from a sense of duty.

3. Science—Physics is included in this part of the course with practical laboratory work, especial attention being given to the study of electricity and its application in the varied demands of modern life. Physical geography with a study of soils and minerals is followed by botany. The students' note books are filled with beautiful drawings and descriptions of seeds, flowers and specimens of plant life. Much emphasis is laid upon elementary agriculture, the planting and germination of seeds, forestry, etc. Some excellent original essays were shown written upon such subjects as "The Trucking Industry in Eastern North arolina," "Plant Life," "The Growth of Agriculture in North Carolina," "Seeds," "Insectivorous Plants," etc. Physiology and Hygiene, heretofore taken in the Freshman year, will be completed after this year in the grammar schools.

4. Mathematics—Advanced arithmetic is studied throughout the entire course, the aim being to make the subject as practical as possible so as to meet the needs of everyday business. Algebra is completed in the Junior year, which with five books of geometry in the Senior, complete the course.

5. Latin—The value of this study as a means of mental drill and discipline is no longer questioned. For a complete understanding of our own language and in the study of modern languages it is indispensible, while in some of the profesisons a knowledge of it is necessary. Many of our graduates go to college and for entrance a certain amount of Latin is needed, the course being so arranged as to meet this requirement.

Vocal Music.

Vocal music is indispensible in the modern school room. It is of value for its refining influence, as a delightful recreation and subject for study. During the last two and one half months of the term a special instructor was placed in charge of this department and good results, especially in the High School, were obtained.

Drawing.

For the last three years this subject has been systematically taught in the grammar schools by expert supervisors. Drawing was not given a place in the curriculum primarily to conform to the requirements of the State law, but because of its value as a culture study, the power acquired in the expression of form and color, and its practical utility, being the basis of all the mechanic arts.

In developing the aesthetic sense along with drawing there is a general uplift of the public taste which results in a desire to beautify the home, the school-house, the town and city. During this year more than three hundred boys and girls from the 6th, 7th and 8th grade were given forty minutes instruction once a week in the studio of the Union and Hemenway Schools. Exhibits of work were held in both buildings consisting of studies of the different orders of architecture, objects from nature, drawings from life, etc., in charcoal, crayon, water color, pencil and pen and ink.

So far as can be learned every school of any standing in the United States has added this study to its regular course. In a number of instances pupils' interest has been gained in all school work through the medium of drawing. There has been a great increase of interest and enthusiasm throughout the schools and a wonderful improvement in manual dexterity. Below the 6th grade the children are taught in their rooms and all look forward to the drawing hour with pleasure and interest. The correct methods of work which the best element in all classes are rapidly acquiring have prepared them for a decided advance next year.

Domestic Science.

The Domestic Science Department of the Union School has just finished its fourth year as a regular feature of the school course. One hundred and fourteen girls from the 8th, 7th, and 6th grades elected to take it. The advanced class commenced work by a review and lectures on household science, bringing out both the theoretical and practical side of cooking. This was followed by the classification of foods and their uses, household economics, preserving and jelly making. The different foods were then taken up according to their importance under the three heads of Proteid (eggs and meats), Carbohydrates (sugars and straches) and Fats.

After twelve lessons a course in invalid cooking was commenced introducing liquid diets and different stages of diet as patient convalesces, care of sick room and bodily attention, bandaging, etc. A study of the normal diet was discussed with the kind of food for people working under different conditions, daily allowance necessary, etc.

The second division began their work with the study of starchy foods, making experiments with starches, effect of hot and cold water, and applying their knowledge in the cooking of cereals, followed by classification of vegetables, combinations of proper kinds of food to produce a perfect and complete diet. Also course in table setting, serving, sanitation, and study of digestion and digestive organs. No more fancy cooking than was necessary was taken up, the object not being to teach fancy dishes, but to train the pupils to think and to use their hands. Books were kept by the girls including notes, receipes and drawings. Much interest was displayed in putting into practice at home the knowledge gained at school. It is found at the close that sixty-nine girls had a year's average of over 90 and twenty above 95.

Schools for the Negro Race.

It is proper at this time that a record be made of what has been done in the Negro schools. The text book instruction consists of a thorough drill in reading, writing, spelling, arithmetic, grammar and geography. A public exhibit of the specimens of work done in the 6th grade was held at the close of the school and made a most favorable impression on the members of the school committee and others who examined it. In the Domestic Science classes instruction was given in sewing, the cutting, fitting and making of waists, skirts, dresses, aprons, boys' jackets, costumes for the closing entertainment and other garments also the making of quilts, darning and mending, care and use of sewing machines and general house-keeping. Lessons were also given in manners, morals, cleanliness in all things, together with health lessons in conection with physiology and hygiene. The conduct of the children of these schools is characterized by quiet decent behavior, both in school and on the streets. I know it is in the minds of both school committees to extend further the industrial feature so as to include cooking, laundrying and all forms of domestic science. Good wages are now paid for cooking and house work, but better and more intelligent service should be given. A girl who has taken this course will then be able to take entire charge of a kitchen, weigh and measure ingredients, prepare dishes acocrding to a recipe and keep simple accounts. The kitchen will be better kept, the cooking more hygienic, economical and scientific. The school for the negro child ought to be a place where he is taught how to live and how to labor, to gain from books a reasonable amount of learning and receive lasting lessons in morals and manners.

The results of this year's work speak eloquently of the devotion and interest of the principals and teachers and the industry and earnestness of those taught.

Needs of the School.

The greatest problem which confronts the people of Wilmington today is the problem of education. It is one that should command the earnest consideration, not only of the school committees and County Board of Education, but also the co-operation and help of the city authorities and all progressive citizens. Those who have given the matter careful thought are of the opinion that it would not be a wise policy to attempt to accommodate more children at either the Hemenway or Union schools. To make additions to these buildings would on account of limited space and plan of the present structures hardly be safe, sanitary or practical. Many towns in the State which are not as large as Brooklyn, with its population and school population of 400 white children and South Wilmington with a school census of 491, have well equipped public school systems. If buildings could be provided for these rapidly growing sections of the city the arrangement would then become almost an ideal one.

As to the plan, at least three rooms and an asembly hall should be included. The grounds should be beautified with trees, shrubbery and flowers, the rooms decorated and the very best teachers employed to take charge of the work. Accommodations should be made for only the first, second and third grades and after passing through these the pupils should be advanced to the fourth grade of the Union and Hemenway. In this way three hundred more children could be accommodated and the present congestion relieved. These schools would at once become centers of interest in the community. Libraries and comfortable reading rooms should be a feature, while the halls could be used for public lectures, parents' meeting, etc.

Closing.

One of the purposes of this report is to acquaint the citizens of Wilmington with what is actually being done in their schools and to present some immediate needs necessary for their future growth and development. Progress must be the watchword in education as well as in other phases of our civic life. The educational scheme should be so modified from time to time as to meet the demands peculiar to the new order of things. The last decade has been marked by radical changes in the manner of transacting business. By means of modern appliances, inventions and methods the volume of commerce and trade is something enormous compared with what it was a few years ago. Every city has certain dominant characteristics whose influence should be felt upon its system of schools. In accordance with this principle more scientific, mechanical and industrial training should be offered the boys of the High School, and after the Sophomore year an optional commercial course with a normal training class and other provisions for postgraduate work.

In conclusion I wish to thank the members of the Committee who have given me their kindly help and encouragement during the year that is past.

Yours truly,

JOHN J. BLAIR,

Superintendent of Schools.

We Furnish Your Car Fare on Purchases amounting to $2 or Over.

J. H. Rehder & Co.

THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

We Furnish Your Car Fare on Purchases amounting to $2 or Over.

We Give Premium Punch Cards.

Low Priced Mattings, Hammocks and Screens

A Number of Remarkable Values

The offerings of such values as these just at this time is sure to attract marked attention. Eighty-six rolls of Matting in different patterns, worth 25, 30 and 35c the yard, for a few days **22 1-2c.**

A timely cut in the price of Hammocks—$2.50 kind for $1.78; $3.50 kind, **$2.37**; $2.00 kind for **$1.42.**

BEST PORCH SCREENS

Size 10x8 $1.50, Size 8x8 $1.25, Size 8x7 $1.00, Size 8x6 95c.

Your car fare paid on purchases amounting to $2 and over. Transportation charges paid on packages amounting to $5.00 and over. Visitors to the city are welcome to this store, either to buy or for information. It's a pleasure for us to show you through the State's Largest Department Store.

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We can place money at the above rate on good City Real Estate No charge made for this service. Borrower pays all legal fees and etc.

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Who Regulates The City

Do the Bar-Rooms Control?

Do the Jobbers Control?

Does the Chamber of Commerce Control?

Do the Politicians Control?

Do the Lawyers Control?

Have the people at large any voice?

Where can they get Groceries reasonable?

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IMPORTER AND JOBBER.

Wilmington, N. C.

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Lumina.

Avoid the heat of the city by spending the day at Lumina. Cars every half hour. **

BASEBALL.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, 3; Washington, 1.
Chicago, 1; New York, 2.
St. Louis, 0; Philadelphia, 2.
Detroit, 7; Boston, 6.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, 1; Cincinnati, 1. (seven innings.)
Boston, 6; St. Louis, 3.
Brooklyn, 0; Chicago, 2.
Philadelphia, 1; Pittsburg, 7.
Game forfeited to Pittsburg in eighth inning, 9 to 0.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, 3; Memphis, 7.
Birmingham, 2; Shreveport, 3.
Mo ntgomery, 2; New Orleans, 3.
Nashville, 3; Little Rock, 2.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Jacksonville, 1; Macon, 0.
Charleston, 2; Savannah, 3.
Columbia, 4; Augusta, 2.

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Richmond, 2; Lynchburg, 4.
Norfolk, 0; Portsmouth, 0.
Roanoke, 1; Danville, 2.

COLLEGE GAMES.

At Bethlehem, Pa—LaFayette, 5; Lehigh, 3.
At Cambridge—Harvard, 4; Pennsylvania, 0.
At Princeton—Yale, 2; Princeton, 3.

WAKE COUNTY CONVENTION.

Glenn and Simmons are Endorsed—Other Primaries.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 9.—The Wake County Democratic convention in session this afternoon adopted resolutions endorsing the administration of Governor Glenn and pledging support for the re-election of F. M. Simmons to the U. S. Senate, and commending the evident purpose for the Democracy of the State to return him to the highest tribunal of the Nation without opposition. Primaries for the nomination of county and legislative officers are called for July 21st.

TRAVELING EXPENSES GO OUT.

Democratic Leader Makes Point Order against $25,000 for President.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, June 9.—The item in the sundry civil appropriation bill appropriating $25,000 for the traveling expenses of the President went out in the House of Representatives to-day on a point of order made by Representative John Sharp Williams, of Mississippi. The decision, however, "that the matter was new legislation," came after a full and free discussion of the merits of the proposition, Democrats as well as Republicans generally expressing themselves in sympathy with the movement to give the President a fund for railroad expenses and for the entertainment of his guests while traveling.

FIRE AT A. C. L. WHARVES.

Cotton and Naval Stores on Ship at Savannah, Ga.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Savannah, Ga., June 9.—Fire on the British steamer Langdale to-night destroyed 200 bales of cotton and damaged others. The vessel lay at the wharves of the Atlantic Coast Line, laden with 5,000 bales of cotton and with rosin and spirits of turpentine. The fire was diseoved in the cotton and quite near the naval stores. Hard work on the part of the firemen and the crew prevented the spread of the flames from the cotton of the more inflamable cargo.

The Langdale was to sail to-morrow for Bremen, but the fire will necessitate postponement of her sailing.

MYSTERIOUS MURDER OF NEGRO

Startling Discloures Involving Prominent South Carolinans.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Charlotte, N. C., June 9.—A special from Union, S. C., says that an investigation is being made in the case of Moses Hughes, the negro found in a river in a remote section of the county, tied and weighted with a rock. It is believed it will result in startling disclosures, involving prominent persons.

NIP IT IN THE BUD.

First Appearance of Dandruff a Forerunner of Future Baldness.

That such is the case has been conclusively proven by scientific research. Prof. Unna, the noted European skin specialist, declares that dandruff is the burrowed-up cuticle of the scalp, caused by parasites destroying the vitality in the hair bulb. The hair becomes lifeless, and, in time, falls out. This can be prevented.

Newbro's Herpicide kills this dandruff germ, and restores the hair to its natural softness and abundancy.

Herpicide is now used by thousands of people—all satisfied that it is the most wonderful hair preparation on the market to-day.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

HARDIN'S PHARMACY, Special Agent.

Read Star Business Locals.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. H. B. Jennings, of Lumberton, was here yesterday.

—Mr. J. S. Westbrook, Jr., of Wallace, was here yesterday.

—Mr. E. S. Reid, of Charlotte, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. M. G. McKenzie, of Maxton, was among yesterday's arrivals.

—Mr. W. A. Fant, of Newberry, S. C., was among yesterday's arrivals.

—Mrs. Kate Gibson, of Laurinburg, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mrs. L. Y. Styne is the guest of friends and relatives at Warsaw, N. C.

—Mr. A. J. Yorke, of Concord, N. C., was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Peter L. Gilchrist, of Charlotte, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Dr. Gibson and wife, of Red Springs, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. E. P. Weathers and bride returned home from Washington yesterday afternoon.

—Mrs. S. J. Barfield, of Mount Olive, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bagwell.

—Miss Vera Hightower, of Georgia, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. D. D. Hankins, 113 Walnut street.

—Mr. John B. Culpeper and wife, of Richmond, Va., are guests at Mrs. Northrop's on Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. Thorbon P. Bennett left yesterday morning to spend some time with his grandparents in Northampton county.

—Mrs. R. D. Tucker and children have returned from a pleasant visit to Mount Olive. They were accompanied by little Miss Margaret Martin who will be their guest.

—Mr. I. Shrier returned yesterday from a very pleasant visit to his old home in Cleveland, O., Mrs. Shrier and Miss Hannah Shrier will continue their visit there some days longer.

—Capt. J. VanB. Metts returned yesterday from a business trip to Newbern. He reports a general exodus of the people from that city last night to attend the formal opening of the hotel at Morehead City.

Seasick Seamen.

Bitter complaint is made by a French naval journal because the modern training of French naval officers and seamen does not sufficiently habituate them to the sea. On the voyage of the Jaureguiberry from Toulon to Brest that battleship had to face a storm in the bay of Biscay which prostrated no fewer than 200 seamen and a large number of officers. In the Russian fleet at the battle of the Japan sea there was a similar state of affairs. It is urged that there be more cruising at sea in all weathers and a period of some years' service in torpedo craft for officers, with the object of giving the personnel of the French navy its sea legs.

She Had to Apologize.

This from Berlin: A well known woman Socialist agitator, Frau Tietz, recently visited the adjacent town of Kopenick, a place known as "Berlin's wash kitchen," on account of its numerous laundries. At a public meeting there, mainly attended by washerwomen, Frau Tietz stigmatized laundry owners as "pashas." This remark, with all it meant, was regarded as libelous by the owners, who took action against the lady, and she was condemned to eight months' imprisonment. Frau Tietz, to escape punishment, has agreed to insert an apology in the press to the effect that the laundry owners are not pashas.

Stevenson's Engravings.

It is not very generally known that Robert Louis Stevenson had artistic aspirations in more than one direction. He once while in Switzerland engraved on wood and printed a lot of crude but original and striking illustrations for certain little books which were given away to friends. The only complete set of these curious little books belongs to Mrs. Charles Fairchild of Boston. The blocks themselves are, it is believed, in the Boston museum.

Queer George Bernard Shaw.

Some one offered to send G. Bernard Shaw a box of game, but he replied that he would rather die than live at the price of bloodshed. So the anxious donor offered flowers. "Surely you must be fond of flowers, Mr. Shaw?" "So I am of children," he replied, "but I don't cut off their heads and stick them in pots about the room."

Rather a Strong Finish.

"Big Tim" Sullivan, the Bowery Tammany king, met an impecunious constituent recently and took him to dinner in a restaurant much more pretentious than the man was accustomed to. He was a fellow of almost infinite appetite, and the amount of food he stowed away was something portentous. When Tim thought the man had consumed enough substantials he asked, "Now, what'll you have for dessert?" "What's that?" "Oh, something to top off with." The constituent languidly scanned the bill of fare. "I guess I'll have a beef stew," he replied.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcements by Wilmington Pastors for City Pulpits To-Day.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, corner Fourth and Orange streets, Rev. A. W. Seabrease, rector: Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock A. M.; Evening prayer 6 P. M.; Sunday School at 5 P. M. Seats free; strangers are cordially invited.

Grace Church, corner Fourth and Grace streets, Rev. N. M. Watson preacher in charge: Sunday services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Sunday School 4:30 P. M.

Bladen Street M. E. church, corner of Fifth and Bladen streets, Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor; preaching at 11 A. M. Sunday School at 3:30 P. M. Preaching at 8 P. M.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran church, North Fourth street, Rev. C. W. Kegley, pastor: Sunday School at 10 A. M.; W. W. Koch, superintendent; preaching services at 5 P. M. by Rev. W. A. Snyder. Young People's Bible Study, Thursday at 8 P. M. Every person welcome.

St. Thomas' church: First Mass, 7 A. M.; Last Mass, Sermon, 10:30 A. M. Vespers, 7:45 P. M.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Odd Fellows' building, second floor: Services at 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Subject of Lesson Sermon: "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" All are invited.

St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Market streets, Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor; Trinity Sunday German service, 11 A. M. English Vesper service, 8 P. M.; Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. A cordial invitation to all.

St. John's church, corner of Third and Red Cross streets, Rev. J. Carmichael, D. D., rector: Trinity Sunday, Litany Sermon and Holy Communion at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 4:30 P. M.

Immanuel Presbyterian church, Sunday services: Sunday School at 10 A. M.; Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Everybody most cordially invited, J. S. Crowley, pastor.

WARM WIRELETS.

The Milwaukee Journal yesterday prints an interview with William F. Vilas, who was a member of the cabinet during Mr. Cleveland's first administration endorsing William J. Bryan for the nomination of President at the next Democratic convention.

Incidents of the day on the New York Exchange yesterday were the report of the first arrival of the season of Alaska gold on the Pacific coast, and the official report of the gold output on the Rand for the month of May, showing a production of 461,202 fine ounces, the greatest monthly out turn on record.

Professor J. A. C. Chandler, who for some years was connected with the Woman's College at Richmond, and later was professor of English at Richmond College, and who resigned to accept the editorship of the publications of Silver, Burdett & Co., of New York, has been chosen as the chief of staff in the educational and historical departments of the Jamestown Exposition. He left New York June 9th to take charge. He has been granted a year's leave the absence by his firm for the purpose.

CURE YOUR KIDNEYS

Do Not Endanger Life When a Wilmington Citizen Shows You the Cure.

Why will people continue to suffer the agonies of kidney complaint, backache, urinary disorders, lameness, headaches, languor, why allow themselves to become chronic invalids, when a certain cure is offered them?

Doan's Kidney Pills is the remedy to use, because it gives to the kidneys the help they need to perform their work.

If you have any, even one, of the symptons of kidney disease, cure yourself now, before diabetes, dropsy or Bright's disease sets in. Read this Wilmington testimony:

B. R. King, the well-known policeman, of Wilmington, residing at 706 Wooster streets, says: "I had terrible pain in my back which worked around to my side and in my stomach, so bad at times that it laid me up. I used internal medicines and they did not help me. I put on plasters and rubbed with liniment, and none of them helped me at all. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills recommended I got a box of them at Bellamy's drug stone. The next day after commencing to use them I noticed relief. Since using two boxes of them I have not had an ache or a pain in my back. It is with pleasure that I add my name to those endorsing the claims made for this remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Death From Lockjaw

never follows an injury dressed with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Its antiseptic and healing properties prevent blood poisoning. Chas. Oswald, merchant, of Rensselaersville, N. Y., writes: "It cured Seth Burch, of this place, of the ugliest sore on his neck I ever saw." Cures Cuts, Wounds, Burns and sores. 25c at all Druggists. **

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Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

YELLOW ROSE SMOKING!

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Week Commencing Monday, June 11th
ROLAND A. OSBORNE PRESENTS
America's Favorite Romantic Actor,
MR. CHAUNCEY L. SOUTHERN.
In a Series of His Latest Successes.
A Guaranteed Attraction of Merit.
ALL SPECIAL SCENERY.
BEAUTIFUL COSTUMES.
10—20—30 Cents.
Free tickets to the ladies Monday night under the usual conditions.

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TRY OUR ICE CREAM!
WARREN'S STEAM BAKERY.
22 North Front St.
R. F. WARREN, Proprietor.
Phone 246. Proprietor.

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LONG, SHORT, THICK or Thin

WE FIT ANY FORM!

We can fit you with a suit. As a general thing, a very Thin Man or a very Fat Man pays the penalty of his size when buying clothes.

HE'LL NOT DO IT HERE

We can fit any man with a Suit and fit him correctly, be he ever so "Irregular." We will charge him no more than if he were a regular shape. Now, sir, if you have been troubled in getting clothes to fit you correctly we ask you to come here and see what we can do for you.

We have suits made for the extra large man—the Tall, Thin Man, the Short, Stout Man and a suit for You, sir; whatever your shape may be, we'll take pleasure in showing you and we ask you to consider our time all yours.

J. M. Solky & Co.,
One Price Clothiers and Furnishers.
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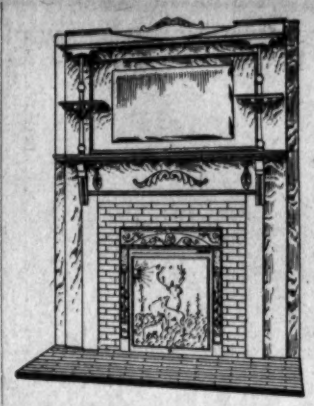
TO THE PUBLIC.

This is to notify the public that I have this day sold my entire business, including stock of drugs and fixtures, together with my good will in said business, to J. Frank Jarman, of this city.

Mr. Jarman is a man experienced in Pharmacy and I bespeak for him the liberal patronage which my former customers bestowed upon me.

Respectfully,
ADOLPH G. AHRENS.
may 26, 1906. je22t



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Catalogue and Prices on Application.

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129 MARKET | CHAS. BLOMME | PHONE 573

Beginning To-Day, June 6th, Will Close Out My Entire Stock at LESS THAN COST.
FOR CASH ONLY

And no goods will be charged to anyone during this sale. I will not mention a few of the articles, as they are too numerous to be placed in print.

42-inch All-Wool Black Poplin that sold for $1.25 the yard.....80c.
50-inch French Serge in black only that sold for $1.25 yard at .....80c.
54-inch Serge Suiting in cream and black only, a $1.50 quality at ..$1.20
46-inch Mohair Sicilian in navy blue and black, brown and garnet that sold at 60c., to be sold at .....38c.
42-inch Cream Sicilian that sold at 90c. the yard, to go at.....75c
54-inch Broad Cloth in all colors, including black, the $2.50 quality to be sold at $1.50
44-inch Henrietta in colors and black, $1.00 quality, to go at .....75c.
44-inch Poplins in all colors and black, $1.00 quality to go at 80c
27-inch Mulls in all colors, the 60c. quality, to sell at 38c
21-inch Messaline Silks, the very newest silks on the market, imported goods, worth $1.25 for.....75c
27-inch Mercerized Zephyrs and Poplins in a beautiful line of shades, sold at 25 and 30c. at.....17.1-2c
27-inch Mercerized Waistings in a good variety of patterns at...17.1-2c
Our entire line of 12 1-2c. Ginghams will be sold at.....10c

27-inch French Organdies and Lawns in neat designs at .....8c. yard
38-inch Colored Madras and Percales the 12 1-2c. and 15c. kind.....10c.
36-inch Silkolines, the very best quality made to go at 10c
72-inch All-Linen Table Damask, our $1 quality to sell at .....75c.
72-inch Linen Table Damask, our 75 and 85c. quality, at .....65c.
68-inch All-Linen Damask, our 65c. quality at .....50c.
Our $2.00 quality Linen Napkins to be sold at .....$1.00 doz
Our $2.50 quality Linen Napkins to be sold at $1.95
Our $3.00 quality Napkins in full sizes to be sold at $2.40
Our Table Cloths to match Napkins will be sold at the same reduction as Napkins.
Our 18c. quality Linen Crash Tape Border to be sold at.....15c
Our 12 1-2 quality Linen Crash to be sold 10c
Our 10c. quality Linen Crash to be sold at 9c
Our entire line of Embroideries have been marked down and will be sold at greatly reduced prices.

Everything in the House Will Be Sold Accordingly
So do not fail to come and see for yourself, as we have not the space to mention every article in this advertisement.

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The Murchison National Bank
OF WILMINGTON, N. C.

Capital and Surplus - - - - - - - $500,000
Shareholders' Liability - - - - - 300,000
$800,000

Merchants, Banks and others are invited to become regular customers of the Bank that has shown its confidence and encouragement in the development of this section.

Not the oldest or youngest, but the BIGGEST and STRONGEST Bank in Eastern North Carolina, and still growing.

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Are they scattered about your home where they might easily be lost, stolen or destroyed by fire?
If so, why not put them in a safe place?
WE RENT SAFE-DEPOSIT BOXES IN OUR VAULT at a very small cost.
ENTIRELY PRIVATE. ABSOLUTELY SAFE.

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F. W. DICK, Cashier.
Next to The Orton Hotel. Branch, 704 North Fourth street.

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Town of Wrightsville Beach

FINANCIAL STATEMENT YEAR ENDING JUNE 1ST, 1906.

—RECEIPTS.—

Balance on hand June 1st, 1905		$ 397.92
Amount collected for License	$385.00	
Amount collected for Taxes	466.32	
Interest from Banks	25.00	
Miscellaneous Collection	15.60	891.97
		$1,289.89

—DISBURSEMENTS—

Total Expenditures for the year		$1,142.40
Balance on hand June 1st, 1906		$ 147.49
On Deposit, People's Savings Bank	$ 13.25	
On Deposit, Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.	134.24	
	$147.49	$ 147.49

H. F. OTTEN,
Clerk and Treasurer.

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BIG BARGAINS.

Iron Safes. One Safe weight 3,500 pounds.
6 Safes weigh 1,000 lbs. each.
1 Safe weigh 500 lbs. each.
SAM'L BEAR, SR., & SONS.,
18 Market Street,
Wilmington, N. C.

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118 MARKET STREET
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QUICK LUNCHES.
Meals Furnished Any Part of City.
Boarding by Day, Week or Month.
A GOOD MEAL FOR 25 CENTS.
Nice Rooms in Connection
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Bug Death!

What Bug Death Will Do.

Kills insects on the vegetables.
Just the thing for Cantaloupes.
Works splendidly on tomatoes.
Does not injure plants, but really serves as plant food.
No danger as in using Arsenic.
Produces better quality!
Increases the yield.

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Three Story Store and Basement, 26 by 65 feet, elevator and all modern improvements, No. 20 Market street, possession given October 1st. Apply Sol. Bear & Co., No. 7 Chestnut.

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Seashore Hotel,

Under the same management for the past seven years, will open for the coming season on June 6th, 1906. The hotel has been thoroughly overhauled and painted. Music the entire season by Professor Weber's Celebrated Orchestra of Memphis, Tenn. Hotel and grounds lighted by electricity. No Malaria, no Mosquitoes, no Flies. Artesian Water. No more delightful resort in the South.

For descriptive Booklet, Rates, etc. Address.

J. H. HINTON, Manager,
Wrightsville, N. C.

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A BIG STOCK OF DRESS GOODS ON DISPLAY At GAYLORD'S DEPARTMENT STORE

THIS WEEK

FOR MONDAY we will have to show 1,000 yards of Irish Linen Finish 36-inch wide Madras in remnants from 1 1-2 yards to 5 yard pieces, quality worth from 12 1-2c. to 15c. per yard, our price is 9c. per yard.

ON TUESDAY We will show 1,200 yards of 40-inch wide Swiss Lawn running from 5 to 16 yards to a piece, all beautiful quality at 10c. per yard.

ON WEDNESDAY Will Show 15 patterns of white cloths for skirtings as well as cream. This is skirt novelties and would be really cheap at 25c. per yard. Goods to be sold on Wednesday of this week for 10c. and 12c. per yard.

ON THURSDAY Of this week we will place on sale at a special price, a line of mull house wash goods such as wool finish voiles and crepes, goods regularly at 25c. per yard; these goods were bought at half price and on Thursday will be 9 and 10c. per yard.

ON FRIDAY The dullest day of the week we will have 1,460 of Malvern Batiste which is a beautiful line of colored dress goods, goods that regularly bring 9c. to 10c. per yard, are pretty stylish colors. These to be sold at 6c. per yard.

ON SATURDAY We will have all the above on sale and many other specialties provided the lots have not been closed out at prices given for each day.

We have a line of colored Organdies called Organdie Francais at 10c. per yard. They are beautiful patterns.

In our Wash Goods Department, we are showing the strongest line for this season of the year that we have ever had. In fancy white mercerized goods and white piques, we are showing 25c. values for 15c. yard.

THE MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

In this Department we have been very busy. Our trade is very active and we are keeping our stock right up to the minute. We have just purchased this week, a line of beautiful sample hats, untrimmed, goods that are perfectly fresh and of beautiful styles and only one of a kind.

These Hats are on sale at just about wholesale cost.

To describe these hats would be almost impossible as there are three hundred of them and each a different style.

We have just received a splendid line of new Milan Sailors which we will have on sale Monday for $1.25 each.

Also a splendid line of Senate Braid Sailors. There hats were made to sell for $1.25 each; I am now able to offer them to you for 75c. each.

A new lot of made Chiffon Hats with horse-hair braid crowns at $1.25 each.

Received to-day 20 dozen White Violets; nice bunches of White Violets at 39c., 50c. and 58c.

A nice line of Children's and Misses Duck Hats, trimmed with a feather and silk ribbon, George Washington Style. These hats were made to retail for $1.00 each; I will have them in on Tuesday and will sell them for 50c. each.

LADIES' KIMONAS AND DRESSING SACKS——We have received this week a new line of Kimonas, Pretty Japanese colors. We have both short and long Kimonas from 75c. to $2.98 each.

SWEET ORR WORKING SHIRT——For the best shirt sold in the city try Gaylord's line of Sweet Orr Working Shirt. We have secured the agency for this line of goods and we carry a full line of sizes. The garments are each made perfect and they sell at sight. The price is only $1.00 each.

GAYLORD'S LINE OR WASH CLOTHING FOR BOYS AND WASH DRESSES FOR CIRLS.

This is a line of goods long sought by Mothers. The little suits and dresses are sold for less than you can have them made and the line is constantly increasing in sales every day.

We ask that should you be in need of this class of goods you will see our line.

Don't forget our line of muslin underwear. Remember we control the agency and the output of **THE ROYAL MUSLIN UNDERWEAR COMPANY.** There is no better house for underwear we think, in the United States, and we tried numbers of them before we tried this line. We have just received a nice new assortment to-day. The price is right, the goods correct and the sizes perfect.

Remember the special sales of this week. Each and every day has bargains to meet. You will not find our stock run down and desirable goods sold out. Our stock is complete in every department.

GEO. O. GAYLORD, PROPRIETOR

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Clearing Sale of Summer Dress Goods

Thousands of yards of

Ducks, Voils, Chambrays, Suitings

That sold from 10 to 20c. On sale beginning Monday morning at the low price of 6c a yard.

S. & B. Solomon.

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ADVERTISE IN THE MORNING STAR

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—A resurvey of the inter-urban electric line between Winston-Salem and High Point is in progress. It is said the road will built.

—The Monroe Cotton Mills are installing new machinery, among the equipment being looms manufactured in Charlotte by the D. A. Tompkins Company.

—At the State hospital in Morganton on Thursday night 20 young ladies graduated as trained nurses. There were appropriate exercises and the address was delivered by State Treasurer B. R. Lacy, of Raleigh.

—Gov. Pattison, of Ohio, at Columbus on Friday, denied the requisition of the Governor of North Carolina for W. T. Spaeth wanted in this State on the alleged robbery of Forepaugh-Sells Bros. Show of $30,000, at Tarboro in November, 1904.

—A Wilson dispatch on Friday says: Unable to get draught beer here a good many of the Italian laborers on the Raleigh and Pamlico Sound road have returned North. It is thought that arrangements can be made to supply cheap beer.

—As the result of the explosion of a can of oil at the residence of Mr. Ed. Crowell in Lincolnton on Friday two of his sons, Jake, aged eight years is dead and another, Lewis, aged five, is so seriously burned that it is believed that he will die.

—The Lumberton Cotton Oil and Ginning Company on Friday declared a dividend of 15 per cent., and added a nice sum to its surplus as evidence of a year's splendid business. The stockholders at their annual meeting on Friday elected the following directors: L. H. Caldwell, Geo. B. McLeod, Thomas Kinlaw, A. A. James, A. R. McEachern, W. P. McAllister, W. J. Prevatt and Dr. J. D. McMillan. The directors elected W. J. Prevatt president and Dr. McMillan vice president.

—Greenville special, June 8: While the freight train from Tarboro to Washington was on its way to this city, near Pactolus for some reason the caboose suddenly turned over and the conductor of the freight, Charles Whichard, was hit on the head and his body terribly skinned. Arthur Whitehurst, the clerk in the railroad office at Pactolus, who was also in the cab had his arm broken and his limbs bruised.

—The Probst Contracting Company, of Charlotte, has secured a contract to build 21 miles of standard macadam road for Gaston county, which recently voted a special bond issue for the purpose of constructing new roads. The work of the Probst Company will be on four roads in the vicinity of King's Mountain and Cherryville, and about 160,000 cubic yards of dirt will have to be moved in the process of grading. The work is to be finished within a year.

—Raleigh News and Observer, June 9: A sudden death call came yesterday to Mr. Thomas E. Hanks, of Pittsboro, who was here a juror in the Federal Court. He was found dead at 12 o'clock yesterday in his room at the boarding house of Mr. Sion Pool, corner of Wilmington and Davie streets, where he had gone to board on Sunday. He had been complaining of not feeling well, and had remained in his room nearly all the time, but it was not thought that he was critically ill. The discovery of his death was made by Mr. Pool, who, passing the room, noticed that the position of the body was unnatural and found that Mr. Hanks was dead, and perhaps had been dead for an hour.

—Charlotte special, June 8: The county of Mecklenburg is still about $60,000 in arrears in the payment of State and county taxes. The fact was ascertained by a visit to the officers of the three tax collectors of the county today. The total tax is over $200,000. Mecklenburg county has three tax collectors, one for the Charlotte and suburbs, and two for the county. The greatest delinquency is in Charlotte and Charlotte township, where it is estimated that $50,000 is yet unpaid, although the legal limit is long since passed. In the county the farmers have nearly all paid up, striking indication of the financial standing of the farmers during the past Fall and Winter. According to the two tax collectors for the county, $10,000 would come near covering the delinquency of the farmers. They have won out handsomely in this matter over their city friends.

—Asheville special, June 8: The jury in the $25,000 damage suit of Mrs. Crenshaw against the Asheville Electric Company returned its verdict to-day, finding for the plaintiff and awarding her $6,500. The case has been on trial in Superior Court for the past three days and has attracted much attention. Mrs. Crenshaw was injured by a trolley car four years ago. She was purchasing apples from a country wagon when a car came along. Mrs. Crenshaw was struck by the running board, knocked beneath the wheels, and both lower limbs were crush off. At the trial of the case last year the plaintiff was awarded a verdict for $13,000.

—The Consolidated Granite Company, of Winston-Salem, formed a few months ago, has pust installed the most up-to-date machinery at its plant near the Norfolk & Western depot One of the latest additions is a fine polishing machine. It is one of the largest of its kind in the world. All of the machinery is to be operated by electricity and compressed air. A 75 horse-power Westinghouse motor is being installed. The company has fine quarries in Rowan county, from which the granite is secured. At one of the quarries a 32 horse-power hoisting machine and also an 18-horse power air compressor have been installed while the air compressor at Winston-Salem is 42 horse power. The company employs about 40 men, several of these being natives of England and Scotland. The specialty of this firm is monumental work using for this their North Carolina blue-pearl granite. There are only two other quarries of this granite in operation in the United States, one being in Vermont and the other in Massachusetts. The North Carolina granite, it is claimed, is heavier and more uniform in color and texture than the product of these other quarries.

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SENDING MESSAGES IN PARIS

The telephone system of Paris leaves considerable to be desired and meets with constant complaint on the part of the subscribers. One of the latter endeavored to test the speed of the various means of communication of the city, sending messages in different ways from his rooms in the Rue Richelieu, in the center of the city, to a friend on the Avenue de la Grande Armee, near the Bois de Boulogne. He found that a bicycle messenger had made the trip in eleven minutes and fifteen seconds as compared with twenty-three minutes for a cab. A message sent via the Metropolitan railway required thirty-one minutes, by omnibus thirty-four minutes, a telegram thirty-five minutes, a message by the pneumatic tube three hours, while the message sent by telephone did not arrive at all.—Harper's Weekly.

Played Chess and Music Together.

There is perhaps no sounder musician living than Sir Walter Parratt, the master of the king's music, and it would require something of a musical genius to accomplish the feat Sir Walter performed when staying with some musical friends at Tenbury some years ago. To while away the evening chess was suggested, and Sir Walter proposed that he should sit at the piano and play from memory, while he opposed two friends on the chessboard at the same time. The challenge was accepted, and with his back to the board Sir Walter sat at the piano and played Chopin and Mendelssohn, calling out his moves whenever necessary. He won the game in three-quarters of an hour.—London Queen.

Passing of "Yours Truly."

In commercal correspondence the tendency nowadays is to eliminate the conventional declaration of "Yours truly" and like expressions preceding the writer's signature. The inclination toward doing away with "Mr." in addressing envelopes in mercantile communications is also gaining adherents. In many instances the "Yours truly" habit has necessarily been only empty form, as is the case in letters passing between strangers. Advocates of this reform cite the fact that in the sending of telegrams both the points quoted are conspicuously absent, and nobody attributes lack of courtesy or violation of propriety in the premises.—New York Press.

The Last Cargo of Slaves.

The last vessel to bring a cargo of African slaves to this country, according to Colonel William Youngblood of Alabama, reached the coast of Georgia in 1860. It brought between 500 and 600 negroes and proceeded up the Savannah river to Augusta, where the auction was held. The slaves sold at prices varying from $300 to $800 each. Colonel Youngblood, who was a schoolboy, remembers seeing some of the new negroes in the possession of his neighbors.

The Horse Must Go.

It is announced that Mrs. Astor has arranged for the disposal of all her horses and carriages, and the man who has been her coachman for twenty-five years has been retired. An experienced chauffeur will take his place. This seems to be the general tendency in fashionable circles, though of course the horses and the carriages are not destined to vanish right away. They will always be useful for a change.—Boston Herald.

Stevenson's Samoan Residence.

It is reported that the Samoan residence of Robert Louis Stevenson, Vailima, will become a tourist hotel, or it may be that it will be made the official residence of the German representative. A syndicate of Philadelphians is negotiating with the present owner of the villa with the tourist hotel plan in view, while the German government is desirous of acquiring the property and contemplates making an offer.

Put Away the North Pole.

We are getting rather tired of the north pole. It has been overdone. Every man who wants to be a hero and break into print trots off to discover the north pole and comes back afterward and tells us how and why he failed and will we make up a purse to send him again? Sure to find it this time. It is getting to be a nuisance. Let the old pole alone. Nobody wants it anyway.—Tillamook Herald.

The Canadian Woman.

The Canadian nurse is preferred in the United States to her sister worker of American birth. Physicians in all the great cities on the "other side" readily admit their preference for Canadians. When asked his reason for invariably telephoning, "Send a Canadian," a New York doctor replied, "They have steady nerves and are more obedient."—Canadian Magazine.

Robeson's Terror in Reconstruction Days

BEING AN AUTHORITATIVE HISTORY OF HENRY BERRY LOWRIE, THE GREAT NORTH CAROLINA BANDIT, AND HIS ASSOCIATES, BY MRS. MARY C. NORMENT, WHOSE HUSBAND WAS KILLED BY THE OUTLAWS.

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PART V.

Mr. James D. Bridgers.

A few weeks after the murder of Mr. Norment, four of the robber clan were discovered making an entrance into the enclosure of Mr. Bridgers; two of his sons, John and A. C. Bridgers, fired on them from the windows, and they hastily retired without doing any damage. They were often around his premises for the purpose, as they afterwards declared, of shooting his sons above named, as they had been active in attempting their capture. For this purpose they visited his house on the 17th. of August, 1870, after dark; they made various noises around the yard, hoping to draw them out, but this they did not succeed. The Messrs. Bridgers knowing the superiority of the number of the gang (about fifteen) with whom they had to contend, and hearing them at different points around the yard kept within doors, impatiently waiting for them to come in closer quarters. The robber gang having beeen informed that their opponents here were well prepared to meeet them, and that they would have bloody work should they ever enter the yard, concluded on this occassion to satiate their thirst for blood and also to vent their spite in another quarter. Zack McLaughlin remarked to the gang, "well boys, we've come to-night for blood and must not be disappointed, we'll shoot the old man's cattle." Accordingly they passed on to the cow-lot, and commenced shooting in a shocking manner the harmless brutes. The Messrs. Bridgers fired on them from the house, but the night being extremely dark, could only tell of their whereabouts by the flash of their guns; they fired only a few times after the boys opened on them; they then retired, leaving two cows shot down and several others badly wounded. This cruel, inhuman act shows in a proper light the character of the fiends with whom the people of Robeson had to contend.

Just after the robbers commenced firing on the cattle, the family learned from the simultaneous flashing of their guns that their number was more than they at first anticipated. They concluded to blow the trumpet, hoping that some of their neighbors might hear and come to their aid; as soon as the first sound of the trumpet rent the air, the robbers fired more rapidly, fiercely yelling, at the same time the dogs barking, and the firing going on from the house, making quite a collection of discordant sounds; the excitement for a short time is past description. Their next visit to Mr. Bridgers' was on the 14th of July, 1871, the same day on which they sent Mr. McNair with the letter to Col. Sinclair and Sheriff McMillan, ordering the release of their wives, which were kept in confinement in Lumberton, for the purpose it was said of "starving out the outlaws." Such a thing though was preposterous, for they certainly had many friends, white, black and colored, that aided them at any time in any way desired. They came to Mr. Bridgers' about 12 o'clock; they ate dinner and conducted themselves very quietly. Steve Lowrie did not come until after the others had eaten; he came up picking his "banjo" and singing, seeemed in excellent spirits. The five desperadoes, heavily armed with repeaters, bowie-knives, double-barrelled guns and Spencer rifles, until they were burdensome to carry, formed really a formidable looking party They all started to meet Mr. McNair about 4 o'clock in the afternoon; they did not go far before they met him; he delivered them Col. Sinclair's reply, which seemed in no wise to suit their wishes. With an angry scowl they perused each line, and the deep, dark anger which settled on their faces, reminded one of the heavy muttterings that precedes the thunder storm, and no doubt would have fallen in all its fury on many an innocent head, but for the timely interposition of some of our grey-headed citizens, who succeeded in getting those in authority to release the wives of the desperadoes. The last visit of the entire band to Mr. Bridgers' was in August, 1871. Several of the neighbors were there working on his gins; among them was Mr. Thomas Bullard, whom H. B. Lowrie had determined to kill; he went there on this occasion, as he openly avowed to a gentleman on his way for this purpose. The cause of his animosity to Mr. B. was this: He, in company with Boss Strong, had met Messrs. Bullard and Holcomb a few days before, and gave them positive commands not to mention seeing them to any one; they mentioned it to some one, and it finally reached the ears of Henry Berry, and for this reason only, he determined to kill him. He told Mr. Bullard to walk with him a short distance, as he wanted to talk with him privately; they walked off about a hundred yards and sat down; in a few minutes some of the young followed, and learned that H. B. Lowrie was very much enraged with Mr. B., and that his anger must in some way be appeased, or another victim would also be added to the list already on record against him. The gentlemen were all unarmed, and therefore helpless to give any aid by force of arms; two of the gentlemen present affirmed that they had been with Mr. B. the day after he had seeen H. B. L., and he did not mention seeing him at all, and that he had been misinformed, &c. This quieted him somewhat and he concluded to release him for the present, provided he would be careful in the future.

Mr. Zack. Fulmore.

On the third Sabbath in May, 1870, they went to the house of Mr. Fulmore during the absence of the family at church. There was a negro left in charge of the house, and he had fallen asleep; he was aroused from his nap by four armed men in disguise. They went into the dwelling broke open trunks, drawers, &c., ransacked the house, and carried off a large amount in valuable articles and money. Mr. Robert Chaffin and wife were on a visit to Mr. Fulmore at the time, but had also gone to church, leaving their trunk there; this they entered, taking a suit of Mr. Chaffin's, a watch-case, key and some valuable papers that were in the trunk. They did not trouble Mrs. Chaffin's clothing beyond robbing the pocket of a dress of a small pen-knife.

Alexander McMillan, Esq.

On Sunday morning, 12th of September, 1870, five of these desperadoes made their appearance at the house of Mr. McMillan. The Messrs. McMillan were at the gin-house near their dwelling, engaged in making a coffin for a child of one of their neighbors, when they approached them in their usual disguise as negroes. They at once took them prisoners and marched them into the kitchen, placed them under guard of one of their number, while the others searched the house. Breakfast for the family was on the table, to which their guard quietly helped himself. They robbed the house of a large quantity of bedclothing, wearing apparel, guns, pistols and five dollars in money. They presented a gun at the breast of Mr. Alexander McMillan and cursed both him and his sister in a shameful manner. The Messrs. McMillan had been expecting a visit from the robbers for some time, and were in the constant habit of keeping their guns with them but it being Sabbath day, omitted their usual precaution. The robbers no doubt had been watching their opportunity, and took advantage of their separation from their arms that morning to put their plans into execution. They rushed first into the house and got possession of their guns and pistols, and then there was no difficulty in deterring them from anything like resistance. They came after this and robbed his smoke-house of four or five hundred pounds of bacon. The Messrs. McMillan discovered them at another time inside their enclosure, and fired upon them; the robbers returned the fire without any damage. Scarcely a week passed up to this time without some citizen of Robeson being robbed; no matter how cautious, watchful and circumspect the people were, at an unwary hour the fiends would suddenly fall upon them, and before they could realize their situation or prepare for defense; have them unarmed and helpless; unable to raise a hand in defense of their home.

Robbery of Mr. E. H. Paul.

Thursday, the 4th day of August, 1870, dawned bright and beautiful. The sun shot up from beyond the eastern horizon, and shone as it were with increased brilliancy, and "nature in her glory smiled." That day was to decide the great political contest between the two dominant parties of North Carolina. The last month had been one of great excitement, and was said to have witnessed the liveliest campaign that had ever taken place in the State, but it was over, the speakers had retired from the field, and all was quiet. Every effort had been made by the good people of Robeson county to throw off the yoke of Radical tyranny that had been for the past five years galling them so bitterly. Here the true citizens were fully aroused to their duty, they went to the polls determined to elect good men—men that would adhere strictly to a just administration of the law, and aid them in bringing to justice the band of murderers that had cut off so many of her best men, and restore the peace and quiet of former years.

These dastardly theives taking advantage of the necessary absence of the voters from their homes, planned and perpetrated one of the coolest and most daring robberies that ever shocked a community. While Mr. E. H. Paul, a young man who then resided in Alfordsville Township, and who owned a store and turpentine distillery, was absent at the polls, they went to his house and demanded of his sister the key that opened the store; she having thrown it away when she saw them coming, replied that she did not have it; whereupon they arrested her and her cousin, Mr. Richard Paul, and all the domestics, put them in the kitchen, placed a guard at the door, and proceeded to the store. One of the party (who was afterwards ascertained to have been Saunders, the detective) took a key from his pocket and opened the door. They then seized such things as they wanted, which consisted of dry goods and groceries, to a large amount. Taking the mule and cart of Davis Bullard (who had arrived while they were plundering, and had been put with the others under guard) they conveyed their booty to some place where it was received by their allies and conveyed away; returning the mule and cart, they cooly took their departure. Steve Lowrie was recognized as one of the plundering party, by one of those placed under guard.

The Robbery of Mrs. William McKay Near Floral College.

On the 3rd day of October, A. D. 1870, the whole band of outlaws, together with four other men, all blacked and disguished made their appearance at the residence of Mrs. William McKay near Floral College, in the hope of finding Mr. John Taylor there, as he had spoken of going to Mrs. McKay's to live, being his sister; and as he had been recently burnt out at Moss Neck by the outlaws, they supposed that he had already moved, but in this they were disappointed, Mr. John Taylor was not there. Six of the number were stationed outside of the yard, whilst the other five rushed in at the gate, shooting a large Newfoundland dog as they went along. Entering the main residence and going through where the family of Mrs. McKay were at the time—on seeing them, Mrs. McKay ran to see where her children were—the outlaws ordered her to stop, bringing their guns to bear upon her; she told them that she only wanted to gather her children up, as any good mother would have done—they then put the family under arrest, the negroes fleeing in every direction; leaving one of their number to guard Mrs. McKay and family, the rest commenced ransacking the house, first taking the jewelry, then every other thing of value, including bed-clothes and wearing apparel; after getting through, they told Miss Pattie McKay (a step-daughter of Mrs. McKay) that she must play some on the piano-forte for them, which she did, in order to keep them in good humor; after she finished playing for them, one of them told her that she had a gold ring on her finger which he wanted, and that she must give it up; she readily pulled the ring off and tossed it to him, remarking that he was cruel. Considering that the outlaws were just from the brandy still of Mr. Angus Leach, a near neighbor of Mrs. McKay's, and had taken a considerable quantity of brandy from the still, and considering too that they all loved brandy, and that a goodly number of them were drunk, it is suprising that they behaved as well as they did at Mrs. McKay's; they offered no insult to either her or family, except arresting and holding them under arrest, until they had plundered her house; they remarked to her on leaving that they needed everything that they had taken, that they had to live as well as other people, &c.

Reader imagine a highly cultivated widow lady, with her two little boys and an accomplished step-daughter, under arrest of drunken outlaws, and you have the situation! Some time elapsed after the outlaws left Mrs. McKay's, ere she could get a negro to carry a note to one of her neighbors, informing them of her situation. How true it is, that no one knows what a day may bring forth.

The Old Field Fight—The Killing of Stephen Davis, And Wounding Of Angus McLean.

On the morning of Oct. 4th, 1874, the entire band of outlaws visited the premises of Angus Leach, near Floral College. He had a brandy still, and distilled for the neighborhood. From this fact it was afterwards known as the "Brandy Raid." After placing a guard over Mr. Leach, they proceeded to help themselves to anything they could find, and the brandy especially; of this they carried off a large quantity. On the same day the news of this affair reached Shoe Heel depot, Capt. Murdock McLean gathered together seven or eight men and went in pursuit of the robbers, by way of the Lumberton road on the other side of Lumber River, from Mr. Leach's. This movement took the outlaws by suprise as they did not expect any one to be after them on that side of the river. It was on this side of the river that George Applewhite lived, and the robbers called up at his house to have a "good time" over the captured brandy. About this time Capt. McLean, with a squad, arrived. The outlaws ran into an old pine field near by, and endeavored to conceal and protect themselves by getting the stumps and bushes between them and the militia. The firing now began in real earnest. During the fire Stephen Davis rushed into the midst of the robbers, and Henry Berry shot him in the head, wounding him mortally. Mr. Davis did not fall, but reeled and staggered off into the river swamp near by, and was reported among the wounded and missing. Angus McLean swam the river and got to Mr. Gilbert's house, he being slightly wounded in the foot. This was, as I before stated, October 4th, 1870—not Sept. 20th, as reported by "Felix." Next morning, the 5th, search was made for Mr. Davis, but he could not be found; all who were engaged in the fight were sure that Davis was wounded, as they saw him turn his head to one side when fired upon by H. B. Lowrie. A messenger was dispatched to Shoe Heel, his place of business, to ascertain if he had arrived, but found he had not.

Sheriff McMillan having received intelligence of this affair, came to the Red Banks with five or six men, who joined him on his way; he reached the Banks at 3 o'clock the morning after the fight. Nothing could be done towards searching for the wounded—perhaps dying—man before daylight. All were satisfied that he was killed, mortally wounded or captured by the outlaws. He was found at 10 o'clock the day after the fight, in the river swamp, lying on his face in the mud, unconscious and nearly famished, not having drank any water since the evening before. He was taken to the house of Mr. Roberts, where medical attention was given him, but all to no purpose; the fatal shot had penetrated the brain of the brave and gallant Davis—he who had stood the storm of shot and shell on many a battle-field, to be slain by the hands of a robber and midnight assassin. Mr. Davis was placed on the cars and conveyed to Shoe Heel, where all that kind friends and physicians could do was done, but it was of no avail; he could not be aroused from the lethargy into which he had fallen, and he passed quietly away to the spirit land. A brave, daring man, in his death Robeson county lost one of her best and most noble citizens.

The Murder of J. B. Taylor.

On the morning of the 8th of October, 1870, the dead body of one Malcom Sanderson, a mulatto, was found near the saw mill of Mr. William C. McNeil, of the county of Robeson. An inquest was held over his body by Coroner Robert Chaffin, and the verdict was, "Deceased came to his death by gun-shot wounds from parties unknown."

Mr. McNeil's son-in-law, Mr. John Taylor, was living with him at the time, and had been persecuted by Andrew Strong and others of the Lowrie band for the reason that he would not aid them in their atrocious crimes. He was the victim upon whom they determined to fix this murder. They therefore set about arranging their plans, and by some means succeeded in fixing the crime upon Mr. Taylor. A warrant was forthwith issued for his arrest, and he was brought before a Justice of the Peace, arraigned and tried for the murder of said Sanderson and found guilty by said Justice of the Peace. Mr. Taylor's friends (and he had many) were indignant at the idea of such an outrage, and immediately determined to have him released on a writ of habeas corpus. The Sheriff, Roderick McMillan, carried him to Rockingham, in Richmond county (Court being in session at that place) before his Honor Judge Russell, who upon investigating the case, released him upon Mr. Taylor's giving a bond for his personal appearance at the next term of court held for Robeson county in the sum of five hundred dollars, and Mr. Taylor returned to his distressed family. His enemies not being satisfied in their efforts to deprive him of his liberty, set about the second time to annoy him. One Martin Ransom sued out a peace warrant against him, and he was rearrested and arraigned before a magristrate again, who bound him in a heavy bond to keep the peace. One of Mr. Taylor's friends endeavored to compromise the affair, but did not succeed in effecting anything, and Mr. Taylor must await his trial at the next term of court. After refusing to comply with Mr. Taylor's terms of compromise Martin Ransom returned home, and it is supposed, held a conference with the outlaws, who must have given him an inkling of their intentions, for he retraced his steps to Lumberton and withdrew the warrant. Not exceeding three days there after, in going from his home to the depot at Moss Neck, Mr. Taylor received his death wounds from the hands of Henry Berry Lowrie, Stephen Lowrie and Boss Strong, who from the side of the milldam, fired on him, the entire load from one of their weapons passing through his head, scattering his brains and sending them floating on the waters of the pond. Thus fell at the hands of these fiends incarnate, another of Robeson county's high-toned, noble sons, leaving a young wife and one son to mourn for him. My pen almost fails to be guided to record the atrocious deed. At the time Mr. Taylor was killed, there was a detachment of Battery A, 4th U. S. Artillery stationed within two hundred yards of the spot where Mr. Taylor fell. Right here a very natural question arises, viz: Why this detachment allowed such a crime to be perpetrated in broad daylight, and so near them.

Perhaps those soldiers can best answer, but we will take the liberty, notwithstanding, of saying they were well pleased, if not aiders and abettors in all the deep, dark wrongs committed against the people of Robeson county, by that band of desperadoes that so long infested our country, making the hearts of her sons and daughters to throb with anguish, and weep tears that naught can ever dry.

John Sanders, The Detective.

In the year A. D. 1869, in the month of November, John Sanders, a police officer from Boston, and a native of Nova Scotia, at the instance of some leading Conservatives in Robeson county, settled in Scuffletown, and commenced teaching the mulatto children how to spell and read. To cover up and conceal his design, he was accredited by the Sheriff of New Hanover county to some of the leading Republicans of the county. John Sander's scheme of capturing the outlaws was a shrewd one. Aware that they were anxious to leave their old haunts and the swamps of Robeson and get safely out of the States to Mexico or to the frontier, he proposed to show them the way, assume to be their protector and friend, and had prepared a wagon, and on the 19th of November, 1870, had the wagon packed with their mulattoes, the outlaws having fully agreed to slip off with their families under the cover of darkness, Saunders having arranged beforehand to have them intercepted at some designated point in Georgia. To bind the Scuffletonians to his confidence by extraordinary means, he pretended to organize Masonic Lodges throughout Scuffletown whilst teaching school. He spent over twelve months persevering cunning to win the skeptical hearts of the bandits, and in order to appease the white population, told the uninitiated that he was a veritable Ku Klux. He got into several fisticuff fights about his manner and mode of living, with white men, on account of his living among the Scuffletonians and teaching school among them.

Sanders was a large, portly man, of great muscular power, possessing a kind, benignant look, a high broad forehead, winning manners, with much keenness of apprehension and undoubted boldness. But he was betrayed, and there is reason to believe that his fate is to be attributed to the want of due caution on the part of some one who had learned his purposes. He died as he had lived—in mystery and out of reach or sight of pitying man. He was taken captive by H. B. Lowrie and the other bandits on the morning of November 21st, A. D. 1870, in a bay near the residence of W. C. McNeil, and was never seen again by mortal eyes except by the outlaws. On the night previous to his capture, H. B. Lowrie and his associates had fifty-six of the mulattoes of Scuffletown as accomplices, guarding the roads to give the signal when Sanders would enter their lines, and when poor Sanders entered their lines, he heard the rough word, "Halt!" Almost immediately the voice of Sanders was heard by some other white prisoners saying, "I surrender." The outlaws then marched Sanders off to a secret camp on the Back Swamp called the "Devil's Deer," (den) between Inman's bridge and the Back Swamp, not far from the residence of Zack T. McLaughlin, and proceeded forthwith with devilish malignity to torture him by firing volleys over his head, bruising him with gun-stocks and clubs, and finally by administering doses of arsenic to him and opening the veins with a pen-knife. For three days, or until Thursday, these horrible wretches surrounded their white victim, their dull blue eyes calmy enjoying his agonies, and he reminded every hour that escape or mercy were hopeless, or at least out of the question.

The fortitude and philosophy of Sanders gained the respect of his murderers, and before carrying his sentence into execution they permitted him to write a farewell letter to his wife and family, which they posted by mail with a sort of a grim and military observance of justice. Human or savage nature seldom presents a picture so atrocious as this of Sanders, guarded in the wild swamps of Carolina, but almost within the sound of Christian firesides, looking into inevitable and violent death after days of pain. The object of keeping Sanders alive so long has never been explained. Whether due to divided counsels or love of persecuting him while stil alive, or the desire to wrest information from him, has been, and will ever remain in doubt and shrouded in mystery. To die thus miserably in the swamps of Scuffletown, among the human moccasins that infested it, was indeed a miserable death. On Thursday night the outlaws told Sanders that his time had come, and they blindfolded his eyes and tied him to a tree. He made a few words of prayer and gave a signal, and Steve Lowrie the meanest of the outlaws, emptied both barrels of his shot-gun into the body of the poor, helpless, John Sanders.

The end of the unfortunate Sanders was related by Henderson Oxendine, one of the outlaws, prior to his execution, and was fully confirmed afterwards by Henry Berry Lowrie, who told several white men in the county that "they were compelled to kill Sanders in order to save themselves; that they all pitied him," &c. After the hanging of Henderson Oxendine, a party of twenty-five soldiers and citizens, led by Major Thomas and Lieutenants Howe and Simpson, followed the direction given by Oxendine in his confession, and without difficulty, found the camp where Sanders had been confined. It was in the thickest part of Back Swamp, on an oak island, and scattered around were the spade and some cooking utensils. They proceeded to search for the remains, and found them decently wrapped in a blanket with the hands folded in a dignified manner, and the daguerreotype of the murdered man's wife reverently placed upon his breast. The cool particularities and deliberation make the tragedy even more heinous by the awe which they inspire; it was murder with the appearance of sovreiguty and martial right. No crime known to modern society presents such dark features as the killing of Sanders, and to this day the people of Robeson turn pale at the bloody reminiscence. This occurrence will frighten the rising generation of Carolina for the century to come. The remains of the unfortunate John Sanders were decently re-interred in a neat coffin, by the Sheriff of the county.

Peace to his ashes!

Killing of Zack McLaughlin.

It being positively ascertained that McLaughlin belonged to the robber clan, and accompanied them in all their predatory visits in the neighborhood, the Sheriff, Roderick McMillan, summoned his posse and went to his house to arrest and carry him before a Justice of the Peace for trial. Zack not being aware that complicity with the "gang" was known, generally remained at the house of his mother in the day, and at night-fall sallied forth to join his chosen comrades. The sheriff had no difficulty in finding and arresting him. The premises were searched, but there was nothing found that could be identified; he, however, was carried to Red Banks, tried and proven guilty of robbing the house of a Mr. Register in the neighborhood; although blacked at the time, he was recognized by a young lady visitor, who appeared as witness against him at the time of trial. He was then taken to Lumberton and lodged in jail; he soon made his escape and entered the band in good earnest. He was recognized as one of the party who robbed the house of Mr. Zack Fulmore. It becoming a certain fact that he really belonged to the band, he was outlawed by the proper authorities, and killed by Henry Biggs, under the following circumstances: On the night of the 21st of December, 1870, Biggs met McLaughlin at the house of Mr. Noah Duncan. After supper, he asked Biggs to walk out with him, which he did; after going some distance from the house, Mc Laughlin drew a pistol on Biggs and commenced cursing him, telling him that he had tried to persuade him long enough to join their band, and he should compel him to go that night and aid him in robbing some cabins belonging to turpentine hands in the neighborhood. Biggs being unarmed, had no choice but to accompany him. The negroes were all sleeping soundly, and Zack had no difficulty in appropriating to himself such articles as he thought proper. He left their cabins minus clothing, a watch, carpet-sack, boots, shoes, provisions, &c. He was drunk and did not go far before he complained of being sleepy and very much fatigued; he ordered Biggs to kindle a fire, which he proceeded to do, followed up by Zack with a drawn revolver in his hand. As soon as the fire was made, Zack layed down (making Biggs lie down with him) with his gun under his head, and a belt around his waist with three large sized pistols in it. Soon he was snoring loudly. Biggs concluded that the time was at hand to put an end to the life of one of the villains of Robeson. Reaching over he gently withdrew a pistol from his belt, and putting the muzzle to the back of the outlaws head, fired, the ball passing through and coming out near the eye. Biggs leaped over the body and fired again, the ball coming through near the ear. Biggs took his arms and concealed them in the woods, then reported to a justice of the Peace. A party going out and identifying the body, the reward of two ($200) hundred dollars offered by the county was paid over to Biggs.

The reader will recollect that McLaughlin was the murderer of Owen C. Norment in March preceding his death. He was considered by all who knew him as more brutal than any of the gang. He was the first to meet his merited fate. Generations to come will hate the name of a white man so degraded as to unite with a mulatto band of robbers, murders and midnight assassins.

The Fate of Henderson Oxendine

On Saturday night, February 26th, 1871, the following young men, John S. McNeil, Angus Archie McNeil, William McNeil, John K. McNeil, Alexander McNeil, Daniel E. McNeil, Hector McNeil, David McNeil, Archie D. McCallum, W. Frierson Bule, Frank McKay, George W. McKay and Archi-Archibald Brown, captured Henderson Oxendine, in the house of his brother-in-law, George Applewhite, and formally committed him to jail in Lumberton on Monday morning following, showing their magnanimity in the act of committing him to jail, for he was then an outlaw by the laws of his country. A price had been set on his head by the civil authorities on account of his many crimes, but these young men were as generous as they were brave, and instead of killing him outright, delivered him up to the civil authorities, and insisted that he should be regularly tried by court and jury; consequently, on Wednesday week following he was put upon his trial in open court in Lumberton, before his honor Daniel L. Russelll, Jr., and after a fair and impartial trial found guilty of the crimes charged to him. The Judge then sentenced him to be hanged on the 15th of April, which sentence was carried into execution on the day appointed inside the jail yard at Lumberton.

Thus passed away another of the Robeson county outlaws, in the 28th year of his age. He was a thick-set, but trim light mulatto, with straight black hair, and rather an indifferent face. He made a full confession of his crimes before his execution, and died almost stoically, without a sigh. Henderson Oxendine was the only outlaw that was hanged for being implicated in the murder of ex- Sheriff

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CAPT. JOE MORRISON, C. S. A.

SOME RECOLLECTIONS OF GALLANT AIDE-DE-CAMP ON "STONE-WALL" JACKSON'S STAFF BY A SCOTCH...AN IN DUNDEE COURIER, OF SCOTLAND.

The Star is indebted to Mr. James Sprunt for the following interesting extract from the "Dundee Courier," of May 12th, which was sent to him by Rev. David Macrae, of Maxwell Park, Glasgow, who writes to the Courier as follows:

Many of your readers, old enou: to remember the great Confederate War of 1861-'65, will be interested to know that antoher and noteworthy Confederate veteran has just passed away in North Carolina, namely, Captain Joe Morrison, the aide-de-camp and at the same time brother-in-law of General "Stonewall" Jackson.

I met him first when travelling round the Southern States after the war, and largely, no doubt, through his influence, I received from Stonewall Jackson's widow, as a precious relic to bring to Scotland with me, the coat which the great soldier wore when he received his fatal wounds at the victorious battle of Chancellorsville, with the bloodstains visible upon it, and the holes left by the bullets that had shattered his arm. Captain Joe Morrison was beside him when he was shot, and described to me how the wounded warrior when lifted off his horse tried, with help, to make his way within his own lines along the plank road, when suddenly the Federals, in the darkness, opened fire with canister, and how he and Captain Smith, another member of the staff, assisted Jackson to lie down with them at the side of the road till the firing should cease. How afterwards, when a litter was got and they were bearing him away to the rear and Confederate soldiers were asking as they passed "Whom have you got there?" they merely answered, at Jackson's request, "An officer," without giving the name. Captain Morrison also described to me the amputation of the shattered arm by Jackson's surgeon-in-chief, Dr. Hunter MacGuire. "It was at midnight," said the Captain. "and I stood beside holding a candle to let the doctor see where the amputation was being performed."

The Last of the Staff.

When travelling round the Southern States once more, after a lapse of over 30 years, I met in Richmond Captain Smith, who had helped Captain Morrison to bear their wounded chief back to the Confederate lines, and who is now the last surviving member of Stonewall Jackson's staff. I also went to North Carolina and spent a week with Captain Morrison and his wife and family at their home near Mariposa. The Captain had taken the wise and patriotic advice given by General Lee, the commander-in-chief of the Confederate armies, to his officers and soldiers at the close of the war in 1865, to accept loyally the final arbitrament of the sword to which they had appealed, and to seek out for themselves useful employments in civil life. Lee himself showed an example by accepting the Presidentship of the College at Lexington-in-the-Valley, where Stonewall Jackson had been a Professor before the outbreak of the war. Captain Morrison had followed a similar course, and when I visited him in 1899 I found him chief owner and manager of the cotton mills at Mariposa. His home—situated about two miles from the mills—had been the home of his childhood, where he had seen his sister married to Jackson; and I was interested when there to find his sister's grandson, a boy of ten, bearing Jackson's name, staying with them. How well I remember those nights when we all gathered round the blazing logwood fire and got the Captain to rehearse to us some of his war expereiences under his old renowned chief, and I can see that boy of ten—with Jackson's eyes and forehead—sitting in the light of the pinewood fire intently listening as the Captain told us stories of the great soldier whose blood ran in the boy's veins.

Relics of the War.

One evening his daughter went upstairs to search out some relics of the war that I might see them. One of them was the letter which her father—then a youth of twenty—had received from Jackson asking him to join his staff. I was amused to find it written on paper decorated gaily at the top with the United States flag and the name of the Federal army commanded by General Banks, whom Jackson had swept down upon unexpectedly and sent flying in headlong rout, "Yes," said the captain, when I called attention to the paper, "among the captures made when Banks and his army were scattered was an immense quantity of stores, including Banks' stationery which proved very useful. The joke in the army came to be that Banks was Jackson's quartermaster, who had supplied him with all needful stores, including paper and envelopes." Another of the relics was an old Confederate cap which Captain Joe had worn, and which was pierced through and through by a bullet, which also laid open his scalp. He said that sometimes he had been joked about his size by the other members of the staff, who were all taller than he. "But," he said, with a grim smile, "had I been a single inch taller than I am I should have been a dead man that day. My skull would have been shattered."

In another form, however, the messenger of Death has found him at last, and amongst the mourners at his funeral there mustered between twenty and thirty old soldiers of the "lost cause." So he passed away Captain Joe Morrison, loved and honoured by all who knew him—a man of high principle and character who showed as much energy in seeking to develop the manufacturing industry of the New South as he did under his illustrious chief in fighting the armies of the North.

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Robeson's Terror In Reconstruction

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King. Steve Lowrie and George Applewhite were also found guilty of being implicated in that tragedy, but escaped out of jail before sentence was passed on them. John Dial, also another mulatto, outlawed for the same offense, turned State's evidence and thus saved his neck, although equally as guilty as the others.

Billy McKoy

was an old man, living on the plantation of Mr. Sandy McKenzie. He had incurred the wrath of the robber clan and their friends, not only by standing aloof from them, but also by casting his vote in every election with the whites and avowing his principles to be conservative. They commenced annoying the old man by stealing his chickens, vegetables &c. They came to his house early in the spring of 1871, and told him that they heard his house was the headquarters of the colored soldiers. He told them it was not so; they had spent one night there only; that he was from home when they came, and on returning at night found them snugly quartered beneath his roof; that he had no authority to order them out, and therefore submittted quietly to their company. The robbers then said, "You vote with the white man." He replied, "Yes; I have the right to vote as I please, and that is my choice." They accused him of telling falsehoods to Mr. J. McNair about them. This he denied. Old Billy was badly frightened, and to set him somewhat at ease, they told him they would not kill him, but intended giving him a good whipping. A voice in the dark said, "No, do not whip the old man." Boss Strong said, "Yes, and we will take his clothes off to do it." H. B. Lowrie ordered him whipped with his clothes on, which Boss did, whipping him severely. He knew four of the crowd to be Steve and H. B. Lowrie, and the two Strongs; the three others he did not recognize. He had a near neighbor, a negro, working on the same plantation, by the name of Ben Bethea, who was an avowed enemy of Old Billy, and who also belonged to the robber clan. He was instrumental in having the old fellow whipped. Some time during the following winter, this Bethea was taken from his house by a company of armed men, carried about three miles off and shot. He justly deserved the punishment meted out to him by unknown hands. Not only a co-worker with the clan, but if any one gave him the slightest cause for offence, sought revenge either on their persons or property, by carring malicious tales to his confederates in crime, thus setting them on to do harm to the offender. He was a native of South Carolina, and was an accomplice in the robbing and burning of the house of a widow lady in that State soon after the surrender. The authorities attempted to capture him, and he sought refuge in Robeson County, joined the robber band, where he was finally overtaken, and a just punishment for his crimes awarded him.

An Agreement or Compact of Eleven Young Men in Robeson County.

In March 1871, a plan formed for ridding and freeing entirely Robeson county of the Lowrie outlaws was entered into by F. M. Wishart, Murdock A. McLean, George L. McKay, Franklin McKay, John A. McKay, W. H. McCallum, J. Douglas Mc Callum, Archie D. McCallum, Archie J. McFayden, Malcolm McNeil, (Greeley) and Faulk Floyd, and persistently carried out—arming themselves with navy revolvers, Spencer, Henry and Winchester guns, they immediately entered on the campaign, and went forth to hunt the outlaws in their swampy retreats and fastenesses in Scuffletown, determined to kill or be killed—determined to vindicate the name and fame of their native county. These brave spirits under all the discouraging circumstances which surrounded them, stood the stalwart braves of our county, like Warsaw's last campaign.

"Oh Heaven; they said, Our bleeding Country save,
Is there no hand on high to shield the brave?
What though destruction sweeps these lovely plains,
Rise, fellow-men! Our country yet remains;
By that dread name, we wave the sword on high,
And swear for her to live, for her to die."

This was a "dark and doleful period" in the history of Robeson county. Some of our best citizens had been forced to leave the county simply because they had taken a part in ferreting out these outlaws. Our young men and old has been branded abroad as a set of cowards; we had become a bye-word and a reproach among our sister counties; we were considered by the outer world as colleagues with them in their murders, arsons, treason and rebellion and villified as the citizens of Robeson county, simply because they did not rise up and extirpate the Lowrie gang. Few men would have essayed to do what these noble heroic men attempted; few men would have gone forth voluntarily as they did and encountered the perils to which they were exposed by day and by night; often were they wearied often did they suffer from hunger, from thirst, from weary limbs, aching heads, wet clothes, cold, frost heat; yet on they went, tramp, tramp, through midnight darkness, through rain, sunshine through the almost impenetrable bays and swamps of Scuffletown, encountering the frowns of the mulatto race, the hisses of the negro race, and sometimes the scowls of a few of the white race who had black hearts; often they were ridiculed, slurred and censured, yet they braved all with courage and fortitude without being moved. On the 8th of April they saw at a distance the whole of the outlaw gang, who, on perceiving them, made off precipitately into the low grounds of Lumber River. On the following Saturday night these brave and intrepid men met again at the store of Messrs. A. & W. McQueen. Owing to sickness and other causes only five of them reported, viz: George L. McKay, Franklin McKay, W. H. McCallum, Archie D. McCallum and J. Douglas McCallum; after consultation they determined, however, to go to the house of the notorious outlaw, George Applewhite, dark as it was, and wait the dawn of day, which was to be the Sabbath. Stationing themselves near his residence, on a path leading across the Juniper in the direction of the Carolina Central Railway, they remained there until 4 o'clock P. M., when to their surprise they saw George Applewhite proceeding directly towards them, (all was confusion for a few moments) when W. H. McCallum fired upon him from a distance not more than twenty paces, the load taking effect in the neck of the outlaw; he returned the fire simultaneously, turning his back however. Frank McKay fired on him, his load taking effect in his back. George L. McKay and J. Douglas McCallum, hearing the clash of arms, rose up and also fired on him when near the edge of the swamp. Here he reeled and fell. Fearing that the entire outlaw gang was near at hand, these young men left the blood-stained spot, not however, before they picked up a sack containing a hat and a pair of shoes, dropped by the outlaw, also the hat he had on when shot. Sending a messenger to Lumberton after the Sheriff in order to deliver the body of the outlaw to him, they separated for the night. Returning in the morning with the Sheriff and some other gentlemen, the body of George Applewhite could nowhere be found, the other outlaws having removed him during the night.

He was not killed as was subsequently learned, but was seriously wounded and was kept concealed until his wounds healed so that he could travel, when he slipped away from the county, not even his comrades, the outlaws knowing his intention. But he made good his escape: Subsisting on fruit and watermelons until beyond Fayetteville, where he was less afraid of being recognized, he began to ask for work and food. Finally he reached Goldsboro where he remained for several months—when his whereabouts was discovered. He was again arrested and placed in Whiteville jail, was tried and acquitted under the "Amnesty Act." Thus was the gallows cheated, and he, whose hand was stained with the blood of the good and honorable and aged citizens of our country, given life and liberty. Alas! for Justice.

It will be remembered that George Applewhite was outlawed for killing ex-Sheriff King, for which crime he was twice tried and condemned to be hanged, but his counsel taking an appeal to the Supreme Court, he escaped from jail and returned to his former haunts and depredations, where he was wounded, and from whence he escaped to Goldsboro.

It will be seen from the above that George Applewhite was tried thrice, and though deserving the death penalty, he was cleared. But to return After the wounding of George Applewhite by these young men the bandits became more wary. The hunt for them however, was still kept up by Geo. L. McKay, Frank McKay, J. D. McCallum, A. D. McCallum, F. M. Wishart, M. McNeil, Archie McFayden, F. Floyd, assisted occasionally by Rod. McMillan and M. A. McLean. From sheer fatigue they became exhausted and on the last day of June they came out of Scuffletown and the County Commissioners called out ten men in each township to serve one week by turns, and placed the same men under command of F. M. Wishart, with headquarters at Buie's store in the heart of Scuffletown.

F. M. Wishart entered on the duty assigned him on the 8th of July following, and kept up the pursuit of the outlaws unremittedly. On the 10th of July, several persons suspected of harboring and sympathizing with the outlaws, were arrested by order of the Sheriff, including the wives of H. B. Lowrie, Geo. Applewhite and Andrew Strong. The party who arrested the wives of the outlaws were fired on from an ambuscade by the outlaws when near Buie's store, immediately on the railway, and Archibald A. McMillan was instantly killed, and Archibald Brown and Hector McNeil were mortallly wounded, from the affects of which they died next morning. Berry Barnes and Alex. Brown were also slightly wounded. Notwithstanding these casualties the other four men returned the fire and caused the outlaws to retreat to the woods. They carried the prisoners in triumph and delivered them to Col. F. M. Wishart. On the same evening the outlaws engaged a company of men under Capt. Charles McRae, at a point on Lumber river known as "Wire Grass Landing," about 5 o'clock P. M.

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WILMINGTON MARKET.

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STAR OFFICE, June 9, 1906.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market firm, 56 1-2 cents.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.90 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.90 per barrel for hard, $4.40 for dip and $4.75 for Virginia.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine quiet, 78; rosin firm, $3.15; tar firm, $2.00 bid; crude turpentine firm at $3.00, $5.00, $5.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine 84
Rosin 268
Tar 72
Crude 148

Receipts same day last year—58 casks spirits turpentine, 165 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 102 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady, 10 13-16.

Same day last year—Steady, 8 1-4c.

Receipts—5 bales; same day last year, 116 bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime, 85c.; extra prime, 80@85c.; fancy, 90 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c.; extra prime, 60c.; fancy 70c.; Spanish, $1.00@$1.05.

CORN—Firm, 65@66c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 13@15c. per pound; shoulders, 9 to 10c.; sides dull, 9 to 10c.

EGGS—Firm at 15@16c.

CHICKENS—Dull, 15 to 30 for small; Grown, 35@45.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60@70c per bushel.

CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c.

[illegible]—Firm, 15c for live; [illegible]@18.

[illegible] salted, 12c.; green, 8c

[illegible] 6 to 7; hams. 8 to 10.

THE COTTON MARKETS.

[illegible]k, June 9.—The cotton [illegible]ened steady at an advance [illegible]int to a decline of 2 points and [illegible] quiet but rather steady as to tone owing to reports that rain was badly needed in the southwest, while the forecast called for continued good weather. Prices held about unchanged to 2 points higher during the middle of the morning with about the only business in the absence of cables, the evening up of room professionals.

Receipts at the ports to-day 5,253 bales against 8,989 last week and 9,7774 last year. For the week 40,000 bales against 55,170 last week and 80,376 last year. To-day's receipts at New Orleans 890 bales against 2,700 last year and at Houston 831 against 2,909 last year.

Spot cotton closed with prices unchanged on the basis of 11.20 for middling uplands and 11.45 for middling Gulf. Sales, 1,300 bales.

Futures closed very steady, prices ranged as follows:

Month.	Opening.	Closing
June	10.52	10.60
July	10.60	10.65
August	10.49	10.53
September	10.40	10.45
October	10.37	10.42
November bid	10.36	10.42
December	10.41	10.46
January	10.44	10.50
February bid	10.45	10.52
March	10.52	10.56

Port Movements.

[illegible]alveston—Steady, 11 1-8c.; net receipts, [illegible]5 bales.

New Orleans—Firm, 11c.; net receipts, 890 bales.

[illegible]obile—Firm, 10 13-16c.; net receipts, 49 bales.

Savannah—Firm, 10 11-16c.; net receipts, 736 bales.

Charleston—Quiet, 10 3-4c.; net receipts, 301 bales.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, [illegible] bales.

Norfolk—Steady, 11 1-8c.; net receipts, 828 bales.

New York—Quiet, 11.20.

Boston—Quiet, 11.20; net receipts, [illegible] bales.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.45; net receipts, 120 bales.

Port Townsend—Net receipts, 550

[illegible]llaneous—Net receipts, 2 bales [illegible] to-day, at all ports—Net, 5,[illegible] bales. Exports: France, 6,100 [illegible] Continent, 2,037 bales; Japan, [illegible] bales; Stock, 450,611 bales.

[illegible]nsolidated, at all ports—Net, 5,238 [illegible] Exports: France, 6,200 bales; [illegible]nt, 2,037 bales; Japan, 550

[illegible] since September 1 at all [illegible]t, 7,562,396 bales. Exports: [illegible]ritain, 2,687,289 bales; France, [illegible] bales; Continent, 2,464,446 [illegible]pan, 116,464 bales; Mexico, [illegible] bales.

Interior Movement.

[illegible]—Steady, 11c.; net receipts, [illegible]

[illegible]—Steady, 11 1-8c.; net receipts [illegible] bales.

[illegible]—Quiet, 11c.; net receipts, [illegible]

[illegible]—Net receipts, 688 bales.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 587 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 11 3-8c.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL

New York June 9.—Money on call nominal; no loans, time loans steady; sixty days, 4 per cent.; ninety days, 4 1-4@4 1-2; six months. 4 3-4. Prime mercantile paper, 5@5 12 per cent. Sterling exchange steady at 485.90@486 for demand and at 482.90@483 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 483 1-2 and 486 1-2. Commercial bills 482 1-2@482 3-4. Bar silver, 65 1-8. Mexican dollars 50 1-2.

U. S. Bonds.

U. C. Refunding, 2s. reg	103
U. S. Refunding, 2s. cou.	103 1-2
U. S. 3s reg	102 3-4
U. S. 3s cou ex in	102 3-4
U. S. old, 4s reg	103 5-8
U. S. old, 4s. cou.	103 1-2
U. S. New, 4s reg	129 1-4
U. S. New, 4s cou	129 1-4
American Tobacco, 4s cert	79
American Tobacco, 6s. cert	114
A. C. L., 4s	100
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s	103 1-2
L. & N. Unified	103
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	88 1-2
Southern Railway, 5s	118
U. S. Steel, 2nd 5s	98 7-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	107 7-8
American Sugar Refining	135 7-8
American Tobacco, pfd., cert.	103 3-8
Atlantic Caost Line	147
Baltimore & Ohio	110
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd	93 1-2
Chesapeake & Ohio	58 3-8
Louisville & Nashville	148
Manhattan L.	151
New York Central	139 1-2
Norfolk & Western	88
Norfolk & Western, pfd	90
People's Gas	91 3-4
Reading	141 7-8
Reading, 1st pfd	90
Reading, 2nd pfd	96 1-2
Southern Pacific	65 5-8
Southern Pacific, pfd	119 12
Southern Railway	37 7-8
Southern Railway, pfd	98 3-4
Tenn., Coal & Iron	155..
U. S. Steel	40 3-4
U. S. Stel, pfd	106
Va.-Car. Chemical	40 3-4
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	110
S. A. L., com	—
S. A. L., pfd	55 1-2
Standard Oil	618
Western Union	92 1-2

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, June 9.—Additional evidence of damage to wheat by drought was furnished today by the Kansas State crop report which gave the condition of wheat as 70 against an estimate of 85 on May 1. A sharp rally followed the publication of this report but most of the gain was lost later on profit-taking. The close was steady with the July option 1-4c higher. Corn was up 1-8. Oats were unchanged. Provisions were a shade higher to 5@7 1-2c lower.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat, No. 2.—				
July	83⅝	85	83⅛	84¾
Sept	83⅛	84⅛	82⅜	83¾
Dec.	83¾	85	83¼	84⅜
Corn, No. 2.—				
July	51⅜	51⅞	51⅛	51½
Sept	51⅝	52	51⅛	51⅞
Oats. No. 2.—				
July	37	37⅞	37	37⅝
Sept	34⅛	34¾	33⅞	34⅜
Dec.	35	35½	34¾	35⅜
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
July	16.85	16.90	16.80	16.80
Sept	16.47½	16.60	16.47½	16.50
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
July	8.82½	8.82½	8.80	8.82½
Sept	8.95	8.97½	8.92½	8.95
Oct.	8.90	8.90	8.87	8.87½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
July	9.45	9.47½	9.37½	9.40
Sept	9.32½	9.35	9.30	9.30
Oct.	9.10	9.12½	9.07½	9.10

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, firm; Winter patents, 3.50@4.00; Straights, 3.30@3.70; Spring patents, 3.70@4.00; Straights, 3.45@3.65; Bakers, 2.30@2.90; No. 2 spring wheat, 83@85; No. 3 spring wheat, 78@84; No. 2 red, 86 1-8@88; No. 2 corn, 51 3-4; No. 2 yellof, 52 1-4 Uo. 2 oats, 37 5-8; No. 2 white, 38@38 1-2; No. 3 white, 36 1-4@36 3-8; No. 2 rye, 60@61; Short ribs sides (loose), 9.25@9.30; Mess pork per bbl., 16.[illegible]5@16.80; Lard per 100 lbs, 8.77½; Short clear sides (boxed), 9.87½@10.00; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

New York, June 9.—Flour market dull but firm; Minneasota, 4.30@4.60; do. Bakers, 3.45@3.85; winter ptents 4.00@4.30.

CORN MEAL—Firm; fine, 1.20@1.25. Coarse, 1.08@1.10; kiln dried, 2.70@2.80.

WHEAT—Spot, irregular; No. 2 red 95 nominal elevator. Options partly 1-8c. net higher. July, 90 1-8; September, 88 3-8; December, 89 5-8.

CORN—Spot, firm; No. 2, 58 1-2 elevator. Options partly 1-8c. net lower. July, 58 1-4; September, 58 1-8; December, 57 1-4.

OATS—Spot, firm; mixed, 41.

LARD—Firm; western prime, 8.85@8.90 nominal. Refined, steady; continent, 9.30; compound, 7@7 3-8.

PORK—Steady; family, 10.85@19.00 Short clear, 16.50@18.25; mess, 17.00@17.50.

TALLOW—Steady, ; Country, 5@5 1-4.

ROSIN—Steady, 4@4.05.

TURPENTINE—Steady, 60@60 1-2.

RICE—Steady; domestic, 3 1-2@6 1-4.

MOLASSES—Steady; New Orleans, 30@38.

PEANUTS—Steady; fancy handpicked, 4 1-2@4 3-4; other domestic. 2@4 1-2.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL—Dull; cotton by steam, 15c.; grain, 11-8.

POTATOES—Weak; State and western per bag, 2.50@2,65; southern, 1.25@4.00.

CABBAGES—Easy, unchanged.

COTTON SEED OIL—Was fairly active with prices under liquidation. Prime crude f. o. b. mills 30@30 1-2 nominal; prime Summer yellow, 36 3-4@37 1-4; prime white, 41; prime Winter yellow, 41.

COFFEE—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 invoice, 7 5-8; mild ,easy; Cordova, 8 1-2@11 3-4. Futures steady at a decline of 5 to 10 points.

SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 2 15-16@2 31-32; centrifugal, 3 15-32@3 1-2; molasses sugar, 2 11-16@2 23 32. Refined, steady; Confectioners A., 4.40; mould A., 4.95; cut loaf, 5.)0; crushed, 5.30; powered, 4.70; granulated, 4.60; cubes, 4.85.

DRYGOODS MARKET.

New York, June 9.—High prices prevented any large sales in the dry goods market today and a few manufacturers shaded prices a little on staple brown goods and prints. Buyers have been forced into the market for additional goods on both brown and bleached lots to take the place of the renewed consumption evident because of seasonable weather but they take only sufficient for immediate necessities or will buy on memorandum.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, June 10.—Turpentine steady, 60@60 1-2; rosin steady, strained common t good, 4.05.

Savannah, June 9.—Turpentine firm, 57 1-4; sales, 684; receipts, 1,872; shipments, 3,763.

Rosin, firm; sales, 2,927; receipts, 3,621; shipments, 8,915; stock, 57,157. Quote: A. B. C., 3.50@3.60; D., 3,60@3.70; E., 3.85@4.00; F., 3.95@4.05; G., 4.00@4.10; H., 4.10; I., 4.15; K., 4.35; M., 4.45; N., 4.65; W. G. 4.80@4.90; W. W., 5.00.

Charleston, June 9.—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

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List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., June 9, 1906.

C. C. Railroad—15 casks spirits turpentine, 75 barrels rosin, 67 barrels tar, 26 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 17 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2 bales cotton, 56 casks spirits turpentine, 118 barrels rosin, 2 barrels tar, 32 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Alice—3 barrels tar, 73 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. J. C. Allen—3 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, 75 barrels rosin.

Total—5 bales cotton, 84 casks spirits turpentine, 268 barrels rosin, 72 barrels tar, 148 barrels crude turpentine.

SPECIAL RATES, SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY.

Athens, Ga. — University Summer School, June 26th-July 27th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Charlotte, N. C. — North Carolina Teachers Association, June 18th-22nd, one, one-third fares plus 25 cents for round trip on certificate plan.

San Francisco, Cal.—Los Angeles, Cal.—National Education Association, July 7th-14th, from Raleigh, $77.50; Wilmington, $77.50; Charlotte, $77.50; corresponding low rates from other points.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Monteagle Sunday School Institute July 15th-August 5th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Monteagle Bible Training School July 22nd-31st, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Monteagle, Tenn.—Woman's Congress July 30th-August 20th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents round trip.

Asheville, N. C.—Convention Commercial Law League of America, July 30th-August 4th, one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Lexington, Ky. — National Grand Lodge United Brothers of Friendship and S. M. T., one first-class fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

Birmingham, Ala.—General Conference M. E. Church, South, Birmingham, Ala., May 3rd-June 1st, rates to be announced later.

Hampton, Va.—Department Encampment of Virginia and North Carolina Grand Army of the Republic April 19th-20th, certificate plan rates.

Richmond, Va. — Virginia Funeral Directors Association, May 16th-18th certificate plan rates.

Wrightsville, N. C.—Summer School, June 15th-21st, rate one first-class fare plus 25 cents round trip.

For further information as to rates from your city, time-tables, schedules, etc., call on your nearest Agent or address.

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ALL OVER THE HOUSE.

Directions For Shrinking New Flannel Before It Is Made Up.

New flannel should always be shrunk or washed before it is made up, that it may cut out more accurately and that the grease which is used in manufacturing it may be extracted.

First cut off the list along the salvage edges of the whole piece. Then put it into warm (not boiling) water, without soap. Begin at one end of the piece and rub it with both hands till the other end is reached. This is to get out the grease and the blue with which new white flannel is always tinged. Then do the same through another water. Rinse it through a clean, lukewarm water, wring it lengthwise and stretch it well.

In hanging it out on a line do not suspend it in festoons, but spread it along the line straight and lengthwise. If dried in festoons the edges will be in great scallops, making it very difficult to cut out. It must be dried in the sun. When dry let it be stretched even, clapped with the hands and rolled up tightly and smoothly till wanted.

Garnish For Steaks.

Slice firm, mild flavored onions a quarter of an inch thick, lay the slices for three hours in weak salt water, rinse dry and drop in handfuls into deep fat, boiling hot, says Good Housekeeping. Watch them closely and skim out the minute they are browned and crisp. Drain on blotting paper, and either pile in a hot dish or use as a garnish. Potatoes cut lengthwise into straws, soaked and fried with the onions, help to make them among the best garnishes for a well broiled steak or good roast.

Removing Finger Rings.

When from any cause there is difficulty in slipping a ring over the finger joint pass the end of a piece of fine twine under the ring, pull an inch or so of the twine toward the hand and wind the rest of it around the finger upward nearly to the nail. Take hold of the end nearest the hand and unwind it gradually, when the ring will slide slowly off. If the experiment does not succeed the first time it should be tried again with a longer piece of string.

Toasted Bread and Bacon.

First cut the bacon thin, then cut as many slices of bread as there are pieces of bacon, leaving the bread nearly an inch larger all around than each slice of bacon. Trim off the hard crusts. Set the bread in a dripping pan, lay a slice of bacon upon each piece of bread and set in a hot oven, where it will cook in from two to six minutes. As soon as the bacon is well crisped transfer each slice to a hot plate.

To Clean Burned Dishes.

Baking dishes that become burned in the oven and plates and platters that become blackened with the food scorched upon them should not go through the tedious process of scraping. Simply put a little water and ashes in the dish and let it become warm, and the burned and discolored portions may be easily cleaned without injuring the dish.

Disinfecting a Water Cask.

Empty the cask, turn open end down and supported on one side so as to leave an opening. Place some sulphur in an old piece of iron and set fire to it and place beneath the cask. The fumes of the burning sulphur will do the disinfecting. Before using the cask again it would be well to coat the inside of the cask with fresh slacked lime.

A Laundry Hint.

Unless washed with great care black stockings will soon turn a greenish color. They should be washed with soap that is free from soda and rinsed in water to which a teaspoonful of vinegar has been added. When damp press them into shape, but do not iron, as heat tends to destroy the color.

Mildewed Linen.

Mildew can be removed from linen by a preparation of soft soap, powdered starch and salt, used in equal proportions and to which the juice of a lemon has been added. Paint both sides of the linen with this and put the linen out in the air until the stain is removed.

Soiled Linen.

When linen is much soiled or has been lying soiled too long a little pipeclay dissolved in hot water will clean it with half the amount of soap required without the pipeclay.

To Skin Tomatoes.

Instead of putting tomatoes into hot water to loosen the skin when peeling them, try rubbing the skin with the flat edge of the knife.

Kid Boots and Shoes.

A mixture of cream and ink is good for keeping kid boots or shoes in good order.

MEDICINE IN THE KITCHEN.

Experiments have shown that drugs which are now used only in formally prescribed mixtures or pills are capable of introduction into the more welcome output of the domestic kitchen. It is often difficult when a medicine has to be taken frequently and over long periods of time to be sure that the patient does not grow careless or forgetful. If, however, instead of taking his pill after his daily meals, that pill were, without altering the taste of the dish and without losing its own efficacy, combined with the patient's dinner instead of preceding or following it, the physician's orders would be more consistently carried out by connivance on the part of the cook than they are with the cooperation of the druggist. Such a relegation of the dispenser's duties to the hands of the chef can only be achieved by familiarity on the part of the medical man with the work of both his subordinates.

No Waiters, No Tips, No Delays.

Ingenious automatic restaurants have recently been introduced in Berlin. Cabinets with glass fronts line the walls, and through these glass fronts are to be seen rows and rows of little elevators, with the slots and mechanism for working them. Shelves all around on the little elevators bring up hot soups, hot roasts, cold meats, pies, sandwiches, tea, coffee—in fact, whatever is on the menu, and that is changed daily. All the customer has to do is to decide what he wants, drop his coin in the little opening and await results. In less than a minute up comes his meal, raised by electricity from the kitchen in the basement, and it comes either steaming hot or ice cold, just as ordered, and clean, fresh and sweet, with no dirty handed waiter with black cuffs and greasy napkin to take your appetite away while handing it to you.—Technical World.

First Jiu Jitsu In England.

The talk of jiu jitsu in this country recalls a story told by Walpole of "a great amateur—nay, practicer of boxing and wrestling"—who willingly imparted his knowledge to those who consulted him. A somewhat sedate peer visited the baronet one day and, walking with him in his garden, made the polite remark that he would like to see a specimen of his host's reputed skill, upon which the other "seized him suddenly from behind and threw him over his head." This is surely the earliest recorded instance of jiu jitsu in England and merited the superb reply of the wrestler to the infuriated peer: "My lord, this is a proof of my great friendship for you. This master stroke I have shown to no other person living."

The New Port Sudan.

Suakin, on the Red sea, has proved an unsatisfactory port and is to be superseded by a brand new rival which has been built up out of coral work and desert sand by the Egyptian authorities. The rival is Port Sudan, the latest addition to the cities of the British empire, and an enthusiast says that it is destined to be a place of magnitude and importance in the days when cotton shall have made it the New Orleans of the east. The place has hitherto been called Mersa Sheikh Barud. It is about 680 miles south of Suez and is capable of holding a dozen vessels of moderate size. The entrance is 600 feet across, and the land around is six feet above sea level.

A Curious People.

That very curious race of "web footed," short legged Papuan dwarfs, the Agaiambos, is not quite extinct. Captain Barton, an official in New Guinea, tells of a visit he paid at the end of last year: "A rumor having reached Cape Nelson that these interesting folk had all been massacred, it was gratifying to find a few of them still extant. Six males and four females were seen and examined. They averred that they have no children living, and it seems likely that in a few years the tribe will have wholly died out."

Denmark's Dead Kings.

The early kings of Denmark are pillars of the church in an unusual sense. They were entombed in the Cathedral of Roskilde, which may be called the Danish Westminster abbey, where the late King Christian was buried last month. The roof is supported by large masonry pillars, and nearly every column is the tomb of a king. The dead monarchs were walled up in them in a standing posture, and they may figuratively be said to have been holding up the church itself for centuries.

The American Paradise.

American women don't have large families, but they are very fond of their children. Too indulgent perhaps. America is the paradise of the young of both sexes and of women of all ages.—Mrs. Craigie in a London Interview.

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SEABOARD Air Line Railway.

Important Change in SEABOARD Schedule.

Effective, Sunday May 27th, the Seaboard will make the following changes in schedule:

No. 81 Southbound will leave Raleigh 3:10 A. M. instead of 4:15 A. M.

No. 38 Northbound local will leave Raleigh 11:25 A. M. instead of 11:00 A. M.

No. 43 Southpound will leave Raleigh 7:10 P. M. instead of 7:15 P. M.

There will be no change in No. 84 at 1:10 A. M., No. 66 at 11:50 A. M., No. 30 at 5:05 P. M., Northbound, and No. 41 at 4:00 P. M. Southbound.

Trains No. 30-40 now operated between Wilmington and Hamlet, will be extended through to Charlotte on old figures same as effective prior to April 15th, these trains making all stops between Hamlet and Monroe, thereby, eliminating the necessity of No.'s. 38-41 stopping between Hamlet and Monroe.

No. 81 for Jacksonville will leave Hamlet at 6:30 A. M.

No. 33 for Atlanta will leave Hamlet at 6:30 A. M.

No. 41 for Atlanta will leave Hamlet at 10:05 P. M. instead of 7:50 P. M. waiting for connection with No. 43 from the North, the same as schedule effective prior to April 15th, this train will make connection at Atlanta and Birmingham for all points in the Southwest.

No. 45 will leave Charlotte for Rutherfordton at 4:45 P. M. instead of 4:00 P. M. as at present.

No. 33 will arrive Monroe 8:15 A. M. and No. 133 will leave Monroe 8:20 A. M. arriving Charlotte 9:00 A. M. leave Charlotte 9:15 A. M. for Rutherfordton, instead of arriving Charlotte, 10:00 A. M. leaving 10:15 A. M. as at present.

There is no change in schedule of other trains.

About June 1st Parlor Car Service will be established on trains No.'s 39-40 between Charlotte and Wilmington and vice versa.

For information, time-table, rates, schedule, etc. Address

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MARION BUTLER'S CLAIM IS FISHY

Wants Government to Pay Him $150,000 as Attorney for Indians.

SENATORS SAY FOR LOBYING

Senator Tillman Says It "Looks Like Steal" Senate Passes Bill Prohibiting National Banks from Contributing to Campaigns.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washington, June 9.—The bill prohibiting corporations from making money contributions in connection with political campaigns was to-day passed by the Senate. The bill read as follows:

"That it shall be unlawful for any National bank, or any corporation organized by authority of any laws of Congress, to make a money contribution in connection with any election at which Presential and Vice Presidential electors or a Representative in Congress is to be voted for, or any election by any State Legislature of a United States Senator. Every corporation which shall make any contribution in violation of the foregoing provisions shall be subject to a fine not exceeding $5,000 and every officer, or director of any corporation who shall consent to any contribution by the corporation in violation of the foregoing provisions shall be subject to a fine of not exceeding $1,000."

The Senate passed the bill making appropriations for the District of Columbia, and, also the bills increasing the salaries of teachers in the District, accepting the cession from California of additions to Yosemite Park, and relinquishing the interest of the United States in certain lands in Fernandina, Fla.

Senator Kittridge made an effort to get a day fixed for taking a vote on the Panama sea level canal bill, but was prevented by an objection made by Senator Millard.

The conference report on the Indian appropriation bill was discussed at length and there was a spirited debate over the provision submitting to the court of claims a claim of former Senator Marion Butler, of North Carolina, and other attorneys of $150,000 on account of services to the Indians of the Colville reservation in Washington. The claim was criticised as an effort to secure pay for lobbying, and Senator Tillman contended that the claim had "all the appearances of a steal," although he said he did not want to characterize it as such.

There was also considerable discussion of the enrollment of the five civilized tribes and also of a provision for the payment of the claim of Jennings and Brown on account of transactions of the latter as administrator of some Seminole Indians which had been considered in connection with the bill for the settlement of the affairs of the five civilized tribes. Senator Tillman had originally criticised this provision, and, finding it in the conference report, he remarked that it had "sneaked back." For this language Senator Clapp called him to order. Mr. Tillman withdrew the language, but continued his opposition, declaring the transaction was "infarmous." To this characterization Senator Teller took exception as a reflection on the committee.

The report was still under consideration when the Senate adjourned.

SHOT NEGRO IN SELF DEFENSE.

Section Hand Tried to Kill Southern Railway Paymaster.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Spartanburg, S. C., June 9.—In a dispute at 9 o'clock to-night over a time credit, a negro section hand whose name has not been ascertained pulled a revolver and attempted to shoot Paymaster Teague, of the Southern Railway. Teague was quicker and shot the negro through his brain, killing him. Teague will surrender.

SAD DEATH IN ASHEVILLE.

Lady Attending Y. W. C. A. Convention Dies of Heart Failure.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Asheville, N. C., June 9.—A gloom was cast over the 300 delegates here attending the twelfth annual Southern conference of the Y. W. C. A. to-day by the death of Mrs. George H. Atkinson, secretary of the committee of the Carolinas, which occurred at 6 o'clock this morning. While making an address at the opening exercises last night Mrs. Atkinson was attacked by heart failure a nd never regained consciousness. She was Miss Francis Bridge, who for several years was secretary of the American committee. Short services over the remains were held in the music room at Kenilworth Inn, where the conference is in session this morning at 10 o'clock.

The trouble between the contractors on the South & Western Railroad at Marion, N. C., is believed to have reached a basis satisfactory to the representatives of the Italian government. An interpreter took affidavits from 22 to 24 laborers, in which they declared that they have no complaint and are satisfied with their treatment and pay. The interpreter also made affidavits that the men willingly made their affidavits. The trouble is attributed to agitators.

THE REVOLUTION IN GUAEMALA

Disquieting Rumros in Washington Concerning Movement to Overthrow Government.

REVOLUTIONISTS ARE ACTIVE

Rumor from Mexico That They Have Been Successful and That the Cabinet has Resigned—American Vessels Suspected.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Washinfiton, June 9.—Secrecy no longer surrounds the movements of the United States cruiser Marblehead which has sailed north for Panama. At the request of the State Department the Marblehead sailed for San Jose, Guatemala, to investigate the movements of the American steamer Empire, which is reported to have landed recruits from San Francisco and arms and ammunition for the revolution against President Cabrera.

Disquieting dispatches were received at the State Department to-day from Guatemala concerning the revolution. The enemies of the present administration are active in several parts of the republic but it is impossible to discover the exact causes of the movement and the directing forces.

Both the Salvadorean and Mexican Borders have been lending support to the revolution and it is the desire of this government that the Marblehead shall find out exactly what the situation is and have a care that there be no participation in the revolution by Americans which may involve the United States in an tinternational dispute.

Revolution May Win.

City of Mexico, June 9.—News from Guatemala is to the effect that the Guatemalan cabinet has resngned and that the residents of the city are much excited, believing the triumph of the revolutionary cause is certain. A battle between the government forces and the revolutionists, commanded by General Toledo was fought in Southern Guatemala yesterday in which the revolutionists claim they were victorioua.

ANTI-YELLOW FEVER CAMPAIGN.

New Orleans Begins Work to Exterminate Mosquitoes.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New Orleans, June 9.—A summer sanitary campaign having as its special object the extermination of mosquitoes which transmit yellow fever, was inaugurated at New Orleans to-day. The city proposes to spend about $900 a day on this work during the summer months. Mayor Behrman and a committee to-day decided to use 125 laborers and forty carts daily, in accordance with the regular street cleaning force, flushing sewers an ddrains, cutting and burning grass and weeds on vacant property and spreading oil over the surface of stagnant pools. The work is to begin June 18th. The expense is provided for by an appropriation of the City Council.

SOUTHERN'S SCHEDULE HELD UP

Vice President Andrews Notified Not to Operate Raleigh Change.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Raleigh, N. C., June 9.—The North Carolina Corporation Commission this evening served an order upon Colonel A. B. Andrews, vice president of the Southern Railway, suspending the proposed change of schedule of its night train at Raleigh by which the Western connection with the Seaboard Air Line is broken, until after a hearing of the complaint of protesting citizens. The railway has not answered and the schedule would have gone into effect to-night. The case is similar to the "Selma connection case," which is now pending in the Supreme Court of the United States.

MEXICAN FISHING SEIZURES.

Case Goes Against Florida Vessel Owner—Took Appeal.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Pensacola, Fla., June 9.—Warren & Co., owners of the fishing smack Silas Stearns, which was seized officially by the Mexican government for alleged poaching in Campeache bay, have received notice that the case has been decided against them, the court holding that the seizure was legal. They have authorized an attorney at Progresso to appeal the case to a higher court. Trial of the captain and crew, who are out on bond and have returned home, will not take place until the case of the vessel has been fully disposed of.

DRUMMER COMMITS SUICIDE.

Robert B. Crowe, of Louisville, Shot Himself at Roanoke.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Roanoke, Va., June 9.—Robert Breckenridge Crowe, of Louisville, Ky., committed suicide in a hotel here early to-day by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. The act had been carefully planned and was committed after Crowe had written a number of letters to relatives and to his firm. Crowe represented a Louisville hardware firm, and had been here several weeks. A draft given by him for a board bill to a hotel was returned and in a letter to the hotel man Crowe stated the deed was committed on account of financial difficulties.

DYNAMITE PLANT BLOWN TO PIECES

Eleven Men Horribly Mutilated By Tremendous Explosion in Pennsylvania Town.

FLESH BLOWN INTO TREES

Not Single Body Could Be Identified—Dozen Buildings Demolished—Nothing Left of Two Men, Horses and Wagon.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Lancaster, Pa., June 9.—Eleven men were blown to pieces and nve others were seriously injured by the explosion of a dynamite plant to-day near Pequea, along the Susquehanna river. The dead are Benjamin Gibhart, Benjamin Rineer, George Rineer, Fred Rich, 23 (married), Collins Parker, Pharies Shiff, William Funk, John Boatman, an unknown man, two men (unknown), residents of York county. All except the last two lived in the vicinity of the dynamite plant. Five others were seriously injured.

The accident was one of the most horrible in the history of Lancaster. The victims were literally torn to pieces, not enough remaining of a single body to make identification possible. The cause of the explosion is not known.

The two unknown residents of York county who were killed had just started to drive from the place with a load of dynamite. They had scarcely gained a distance of fifty feet when the plant blew up with a detonation that was heard 30 miles away. A great cloud of smoke covered the site of the factory and when it had cleared away there was not a vestige of the horses, wagon and men who had left the factory a moment before. The air was filled with debris, fragments of human bodies and pieces of flesh, and limbs were found hanging to a tree nearly 100 yards from the scene of the disaster. People living near the factory rushed out of their homes and began the work or rescue, but there were few persons who had not been blown to pieces.

The plant consisted of a dozen buildings. All were blown to pieces except a remote structure in which several girls were at work, none of whom were injured. The plant was owned by J. R. McKee, of Pittsburg. It was situated half way between Pequea and Martie Ford.

Spend a pleasant day at Carolina Beach. Boat leaves at 9:30 A. M., 2:30 and 7:45 P. M. **

NEW ADVERTISMENTS.

NOTICE TO REPUBLICAN VOTERS.

I hereby respectfully request all the Republicans of the City of Wilmington to meet at Germania Lodge Hall, 22 South Front street, at 8 o'clock P. M. on Monday, July 2nd, 1906, to elect delegates and alternates to the County Convention, the basis of representation being First Ward, three delegates and three alternates; Second Ward, one delegate and one alternate; Third Ward, one delegate and one alternate; Fourth Ward, one delegate and one alternate; Fifth Ward, two delegates and two alternates.

All voting will be done separately by the residents of their respective precincts. The residents of the townships other than Wilmington in the county will hold their primaries at 12 M. on July 2nd. at their usual voting places and one delegate and one alternate will be elected at each voting precinct. T. E. WALLACE,

Chairman New Hanover County Republican Ex. Committee.

In accordance with the plan of organization of the Republican party of this State, I hereby call a convention of the delegates elected at the primaries held on Monday, July 2nd, at 8 P. M., to meet at 9:30 P. M. on that evening at Germania Lodge Hall, No. 22 South Front street, to elect two delegates and two alternates to the Republican State Convention to be held at Greensboro on July 10th, 1906.

T .E. WALLACE,

Chairman N. H. County Rep. Ex. Committee.

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BIDS WANTED

Bids will be received for the construction of a concrete bridge over Mill Creek, near National cemetery, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the office of Mr. M. W. Divine.

Bid will be opened Monday, June 18th, at 3 o'clock P. M. at court house. Right reserved to reject any and all bids.

D. McEACHERN,
Chrm. Board Co. Com.

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NOTICE OF SALE

In pursuance of a resolution passed by the Board of Aldermen at the last regular meeting the Committee on Public Buildings will offer for sale by public auction at the door of the City Hall on Saturday, June 16th at 11 o'clock A. M. a lot of iron railing and granite posts formerly constituting the fence around the City Hall lot; also, a lot of old metal pipe, scrap iron, &c., &c. Terms cash. je10-3t

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TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER CO.

I take this method of thanking you for the kind support given me in the past, and at same time announce myself a candidate for renomination to the office of County Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of New Hanover County at the coming election, subject to the will of the Democratic party at the primary to be held September 19th, 1906.

apr29-tf S. PERCY COWAN.

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